

Ration Coupons Thursday  
Butter B35 to B42  
Meat M64 to M73  
Sugar S26 to S42

# Victoria Daily Times

Weather Forecast  
Victoria and Vicinity—Thursday: Overcast in morning; becoming clear in afternoon. Light winds. Little change in temperature.  
Tuesday—Temperatures: Min. 37; Max. 42.  
Sunshine: None.  
Today's noon temperature: 43.

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## Arabs May Take Palestine Issue To U.N. Assembly

LAKE SUCCESS (AP)—Faris El-Khouri, Syrian representative to the United Nations' Security Council, indicated today the Arab states might place the Palestine case with the United Nations before Great Britain can take such action.

El-Khouri criticized Britain as being "too docile" in dealing with Palestine and declared British authorities should "suppress immediately the Jews" in the Holy Land.

"If the Jews are allowed to continue immigration into Palestine," he said, "they will drive the Arabs out of the country. Immigration should stop completely."

The diplomat said the only solution for the situation was to make the country an independent state where Jews and Arabs can live together under the same form of democratic government.

LONDON (Reuters)—Britain's Parliamentary Labor Party today was placed in a position of some embarrassment by Foreign Secretary Bevin's decision to refer the Palestine problem to the United Nations without modifying the procedure of the white paper of 1939.

The Labor Party in the general election of 1945 pledged itself to the repeal of the white paper policy, which restricted Jewish immigration to Palestine and to adding the cause of the Jewish national home.

The party contains some leading British Zionists. These elements are likely to be vocal at a private meeting of the Parliamentary Labor Party.

Barnett Janner, Socialist member of Parliament, speaking on behalf of the British Zionist Federation, said in an interview after Bevin's statement in the Commons Tuesday that the British Zionists would oppose Bevin's procedure.

## Fear Airliner Down In Atlantic

NEW YORK (CP)—The U.S. Coast Guard reported today that an Air France Constellation airliner had sent out an SOS from a position estimated at 300 miles northwest of Casablanca, Africa, and possibly was down in the Atlantic ocean.

Details as to the number of persons aboard were not immediately available, the Coast Guard said, adding that the plane's SOS had stated that it had jettisoned all cargo and was circling a ship below it in the water.

## Manitoba Official Found Shot Dead

WINNIPEG (CP)—Ralph McN. Pearson, 54, deputy treasurer of Manitoba, was found dead today in the washroom of his private office in the Legislative Buildings. A .38 calibre revolver was found on the floor beside the body.

Mr. Pearson had been in ill health for some time. He had recently worked on the Dominion-Provincial taxation agreement recently concluded and colleagues attribute his death to a nervous collapse.

## No Plans To Rebuild Somass Hotel



Site and ruins of fire-swept Port Alberni hotel will be offered for sale.

(Special to the Times)

PORT ALBERNI—Harry C. Winter, trustee of the Waterhouse estate, announced here today that the site and remains of the Somass Hotel gutted by fire Monday, would be sold as soon as the insurance adjusters had completed their investigations.

Proceeds from the sale of the property, he said, would be divided among beneficiaries who were Mrs. C. Waterhouse, Mrs. L. J. Clark, 1037 Richardson Street, Victoria; Mrs. Poppy

Glaspie, Vancouver, and two nieces residing in England.

Twenty-five to 30 rooms above Woodward's Department Store in the Somass Block were only damaged by smoke and water and could be put into operation within a few months, he said. The beer parlor could also be repaired and put into operation with a month.

Woodward's department store adjoining the gutted hotel had only suffered damages from smoke and water, and expected to reopen within a week, Mr.

Winter reported. Workers had already begun to repair the damage done to the store.

Mr. Winter said adjusters arrived today to take stock of the damage done by the fire which completely destroyed the four-story wood section of the building and gutted the new brick wing.

"As far as the Waterhouse Estate is concerned," he said, "we are not going to rebuild; and we are offering the site for sale as soon as the adjusters have completed their investigations."

## Striking Maritime Miners Still Hope For Early Peace

GLACE BAY, N.S. (CP)—President Freeman Jenkins of United Mine Workers (C.C.L.) District 26 remained in Ottawa today, indicating that not all hope had been abandoned of possible further steps towards a solution of the coal strike in the Maritime provinces. Nine other union leaders headed home.

The statement of a government official however, that Tuesday's conferences with the Labor Department in Ottawa had brought the issue "no nearer a solution" was taken here as meaning remaining hope was slim to adjust the wage dispute.

Mr. Jenkins and two top officials of his union board had no comment on Tuesday's talks, but it was expected here they would leave Ottawa tonight unless some new development occurred.

Harold Gordon, coal manager and chief spokesman for the Dominion Steel and Coal Corporation in its wage dispute with the U.M.W., was already on his way back to the Maritimes.

### ASK INSURANCE

Meanwhile, as 13,000 miners went through the fourth day of their strike, the first signs of un-

employment attributable to the walkout appeared in colliery towns.

National Employment Service officials here said 80 employees of the Sydney and Louisburg Railway, Dosco's coal-hauling subsidiary, had applied for unemployment insurance.

Saturday, most miners will draw their last pay for the duration of the strike.

With coal production at a standstill, many workmen said their own domestic coal supplies were "in fair shape."

## Anscomb To Present Budget Wednesday

Finance Minister Herbert Anscomb is scheduled to present the 1947-48 budget to the B.C. Legislature towards the end of next week, probably Wednesday.

The current Throne Speech debate is slated to be wound up next Tuesday by Education Minister G. M. Weir, after two weeks debate.

The budget is expected to be the largest in the history of the province with revenues, swollen by the Dominion-Provincial tax agreement and other sources, anticipated to exceed \$50,000,000.

## C.P.R.'s Earnings Off By \$9,000,000, Rail Board Hears

OTTAWA (CP)—C. E. Jefferson, of Montreal, freight traffic manager of the C.P.R., told the Board of Transport Commissioners today the line's railway freight earnings fell off by more than \$9,000,000 in 1946.

Testifying at the inquiry into the railways' application for higher freight rates, Mr. Jefferson said gross freight income was \$218,551,000, compared with \$227,707,000 in 1945.

The 1946 total, however, was \$3,000,000 higher than the C.P.R. had estimated at the time it made the application last fall.

Chiefly responsible for the increase in the actual figure over the estimate, Mr. Jefferson declared, was traffic in cement, fruits and vegetables, grain, logs and paper.

Mr. Jefferson said he had estimated 1947 freight revenue as \$223,500,000 without an increase, or \$260,091,000, had a 30 per cent increase been granted as of the start of this year.

The \$223,500,000 figure included \$8,000,000 additional revenue for international traffic on which the United States Interstate Commerce Commission recently granted increases.

# Power To Be Restored To Some British Industries; Householders Go Without

## Mountbatten May Succeed Wavell As India Regent

LONDON (AP)—Authoritative sources said today Viscount Mountbatten will be called home soon from his post as Viceroy of India and that Prime Minister Attlee will make a statement on Indian freedom in the Commons tomorrow.

(Meanwhile, Reuters reported strong rumors in informed quarters said Admiral Viscount Mountbatten, Allied commander in southeastern Asia and a cousin of the King, would succeed Field Marshal Lord Wavell. No comment was available in official quarters, Reuters added.)

### MOVE WITHIN YEAR?

Speculation arose that Britain might be preparing to withdraw from India and to announce a plan for the sub-continent's complete independence, perhaps within a year.

One informant said British evacuation "within a stated period" was not out of the question.

The cabinet's decision to bring Lord Wavell home, these informants said, came as a result of the new constitutional crisis in India. They declined to say whether he would return to India.

The latest Indian crisis has followed Muslim League refusal to participate in the Constituent Assembly. British officials said the crisis "threatens" a break-up of the Viceroy's Interim government.

## LATEST

### Baby Fatally Hit By Car At Sidney

While playing near his home in Sidney about noon today, John Speedie, 19 months old, was knocked down and fatally injured by a car, said by Provincial Police to be driven by William Patherbridge. The child was taken to nearby Rest Haven, where he succumbed.

### Would End Emergency

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Truman today asked Congress for legislation to make possible an "early ending" of the state of national emergency under which the country has lived since 1939. He asked outright repeal of 24 laws.

### Death Toll 22

ALTOONA, Pa. (AP)—The list of dead from Tuesday's wreck of the Pennsylvania Railroad's "Red Arrow" here was fixed today at 22 by the railroad and Coroner Daniel Replogle of Blair County. About 50 of the 128 injured are still in Altoona hospitals, seven listed as critical.

### Price Of Clothing Going Up Soon

OTTAWA (CP)—Canadians will pay substantially more for their clothing as a result of withdrawal last month of the government's subsidy on wools, worsteds, yarns and tops and lowering of the subsidy on cotton.

The Prices Board said today the new prices will be on shipments made by manufacturers on or after Feb. 18 and apply specifically to men's and boys' fine woolen clothing, woolen work clothing and sportswear, and women's misses' and juniors' coats and suits.

Although unofficial estimates placed the retail increases as high as 20 per cent, board officials indicated it was impossible to make an accurate forecast. The increases would vary with the cotton, woolen or rayon content of each garment.

### New Viceroy?



ADMIRAL LOUIS MOUNTBATTEN

Cousin of the King, who is rumored due to succeed Field Marshal Wavell as Viceroy of India.

## V.M.D. Purchases Whaling Company Property Here

H. S. Hammill, general manager of the Victoria Machinery Depot Co. Ltd., today confirmed reports his company had purchased the property of Consolidated Whaling Corporation at Point Ellice. Reported price of purchase was \$17,000.

Details of V.M.D.'s proposed plans for use of the property could not yet be disclosed, Mr. Hammill said.

Unsuccessful attempts were made two years ago to begin anew the whaling industry out of Victoria, which last operated out of here at the beginning of the war. However, after V.M.D. had taken in part of the original whaling fleet for repairs, it was found the ships were unseaworthy in their condition at that time.

Since that time the two principals of the whaling company have died.

Among ships of the whaling fleet which at one time operated out of here were the Black, Brown, Blue, White, Gray, William Grant, St. Lawrence and Orion. The Black, Brown, Blue and White are still tied up at Point Ellice. The St. Lawrence and William Grant are now operating as towboats for new owners, and the Orion is out of commission.

An English company has been making inquiries here, through a local agent, as to the possibility of gaining a franchise and starting up whaling again, but so far, no definite progress has been made.

## Joint Defence Talks At Winnipeg Over

WINNIPEG (CP)—Several members of the Canadian-United States Defence Board left here by plane today to visit Fort Churchill on the rim of Hudson Bay following the conclusion of the board's first two-day session in Winnipeg.

No statement was issued at the conclusion of the meeting other than a terse announcement that it had been concluded.

Among the members making the flight to Churchill, where they will view army experiments being conducted under winter conditions, are Gen. McNaughton, chairman of the board's Canadian section, and Fiorenzo LaGuardia, chairman of the U.S. section.

LONDON (CP)—Electricity supplies to the Midlands—most highly industrialized area in Britain—will be resumed next Monday for industrial purposes only, Prime Minister Attlee announced today in the House of Commons.

No statement could be made yet, he said, on the resumption of power to industries in the other areas of England and there could be no forecast as to when electricity would be restored to domestic consumers.

Mr. Attlee made it clear that only with the most rigid economy of supplies to domestic and non-industrial consumers could fuel supplies at power stations throughout the country be built up sufficiently to permit resumption of industry. Two weeks' supplies were essential before industrial consumption could be resumed in any area. All stations except three would reach that level in the Midlands tomorrow.

Stocks at power stations are being slowly and steadily built up, Mr. Attlee said. Despite unfavorable weather, 3,747,700 tons of coal were produced last week, 119,600 tons more than the corresponding week of 1946.

Industrial undertakings in central England may expect to receive 30 per cent of their allocation of solid fuel in the two weeks after the resumption of supplies, Mr. Attlee continued. To avoid shedding the load of electricity again, the industrial load would have to be spread as much as possible by staggering working hours.

### PUSHMENT PROVIDED

The island-wide restrictions on the use of electricity by domestic and other non-industrial consumers would have to be continued for an unstated period under wartime regulations providing for fines and prison sentences for infractions.

Replying to Anthony Eden, former Foreign Secretary, Mr. Attlee said he could not say at present when there would be any relief for domestic electricity consumers.

He was deferring any statement on the resumption of power industrial users in areas outside of the Midlands, he said, until he could make a definite statement.

## Ireland Faces Worst Fuel Crisis

DUBLIN (CP)—The greatest fuel crisis in history gripped Eire today. The problem is double-barrelled—both imported coal and native peat are short.

As the Irish endure the coldest weather in many years, a critical industrial fuel shortage has been brought about largely through the British fuel situation. The domestic shortage is attributable to abnormally wet weather in the last six months of 1946.

Eire's trains are running only three days a week and may shut down completely if fuel supplies are not resumed. Limited gasoline supplies may have to be re-allocated to provide road transport and this in turn may cost private motorists their ration.

The domestic fuel problem also is serious. Peat bogs are flooded making it difficult and often impossible to remove soggy peat.

Some consumers already were forced to break up furniture for fuel to heat icy homes.

Eire has a handful of coal mines which are being developed under semi-state control but the difficulty in obtaining essential machinery hampers production and output.

Meantime 10 Downing Street told of "substantial progress" in rail shipment of fuel and announced that miners dug an amount last week unofficially estimated as the best per capita production in seven years.

However, the gas position still had to be watched "with special care," the "Big Nine" coal committee said, and the distribution of coal to householders was not expected to reach the ration maximum for the next two months.

Mr. Attlee is expected to reveal shortly the steps the government plans for the long-term scheme to prevent a recurrence of the fuel crisis. These are expected to hit the home consumer hardest, and the Times warned: "The domestic consumer of solid fuel can expect no respite. Domestic users of gas and electricity must expect rationing."

### STILL 'VERY COLD'

United Kingdom temperatures remained "very cold"—a British phrase for two or three to 10 or 12 degrees of frost.

Meanwhile, North Sea ice floes carried away buoys marking wrecks and shipping channels through mined areas, and at noon were reported about 50 miles off Great Yarmouth, Norfolk.

Bitterly cold conditions prevailed on fishing grounds and ships returned covered with ice.

The sun broke through low clouds over London just before noon, but was not strong enough to record on the Kew Observatory instruments and so the capital's weather established a record of 18 sunless days.

Cold still crippled most of Europe as well as the British Isles.

## 60 Veterans Seeking Homes As City Housing Problem Increases

Any impression that the acute housing shortage situation has eased in this area was shattered today by a report of A. Palmer, executive secretary of the Greater Victoria Citizens' Rehabilitation Council. The list of veterans seeking accommodation for their families has been gradually rising and today total 650 applicants involving 3,100 persons are seeking homes.

The council, which has unceasingly bent its efforts toward relieving the plight of homeless veterans' families ever since Victoria began to feel the weight of repatriation, is still doing all in its power to get more housing through the medium of re-converting former army huts.

Renovation work at Macaulay Point Camp has progressed to the point where 58 families have been housed by the citizens' unit. The families total 253 people, including 135 children.

"We hope to have the other 24 units ready for the occupants in a couple of weeks to a month," Mr. Palmer said, also noting that the Union Health Board was setting up a free baby clinic at the

camp and that the Greater Victoria Recreation Council had arranged two free classes weekly.

### GORDON HEAD SURVEY

Mr. Palmer, Robert Knight, Legion representative on the council; Forrest L. Shaw, president of the citizens' group, and W. J. Carter of the city building department, went to Gordon Head this afternoon to see which huts were suitable for reconversion.

At Moresby House, Esquimalt, eight families are lodged. Further reconversion is being held up owing to lack of electrical wiring materials. When completed the house will house 10 more families.

The Douglas Street Balmoral House is still filled to capacity. This place was designed as a preliminary resting place for the families until better accommodation can be provided. Figuring out ways and means to secure the latter has been a constant headache for the council and the result is that some of the families who were placed in the building when opened are still there. Three families have been placed at Colwood camp.

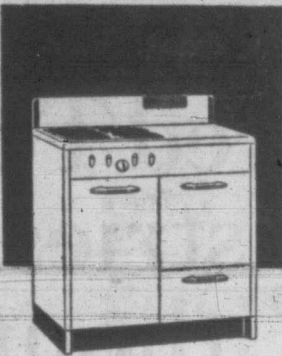
## Wyoming's First Buffalo 'Hunt' Expected To Be Last



After this scene members of the Chamber of Commerce of Rawlins, Wyo., which sponsored the event, said it had been so brutal it was unsuited to be staged annually. When the cowboys herded the bison the archers by mistake first killed a cow. Then one of the three selected bulls broke away and escaped. The other two were struck by arrows and wounded, but had to be killed by riflemen to end their sufferings. The Victoria branch of the S.P.C.A. had wired a protest against the holding of the "hunt."



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Attention! Reimer's Beauty Salon will be closed from Feb. 19 to March 3. Reopening at new location 743 View Street. \*\*\*

A salvage collection for Oak Bay, Shoal Bay and Uplands. Phone E 3413. \*\*\*

Croydon Contractors, call E 3813. Steps, sidewalks, fencing, small alterations. \*\*\*

"Cherry Bank" Hotel for good tourist or transient accommodation. \*\*\*

Dr. G. W. Fletcher, permanent address, 524 Scollard Bldg., telephone, office B 2513, home G 1082. \*\*\*

Ash Wednesday at Christ Church Cathedral. Public service at 8 p.m., open to all. The Very Rev. Spencer Elliott, M.A., D.D., will preach. \*\*\*

American visitors are especially invited to afternoon tea at the Old England Guest House. Delightfully served in a romantic setting amidst gems of 16th and 17th century antique furniture. By appointment G 5153, 429 Lampson Street. \*\*\*

David B. Caird, Registered Chiropractor; foot ailments; painlessly corrected; short-wave; massage; individually built supports, 723 Fort Street, B 3732. \*\*\*

Dr. W. Allan Fraser, late of R.C.A.M.C., wishes to announce that he has resumed the practice of urology at Room 401, Stobart Bldg., 745 Yates Street. Phone E 4041. \*\*\*

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For Lenten reading "Members of Christ" by Dean Elliott. Copies of this inspiring book can be had at the Marionette Library, 1018 Douglas Street, E 1012. Mail order service. \*\*\*

Health Food Shop, 1035 Fort Street, natural foods, herbal remedies, special diets, G 6434. \*\*\*

Kindergarten—Miss D. Moore, experienced with all children in schools and homes. Music, rhythm bands, various handicrafts, toys, 1485 Fort, E 1642, phone mornings. \*\*\*

Old Country Bookings—C.N.E. ticket office, 911 Government Street, telephone E 7127. \*\*\*

Recital, Friday, Feb. 21, 8 p.m., Truth Centre, Fort Street. Direction, Mrs. Wilfrid Ord, Voice and Speech Specialist. Readings, monologues, songs. Seats reserved by telephoning G 5525 evenings. \*\*\*

Shower and wedding gifts! The Blue Window, 1607A Douglas, E 5815. \*\*\*

Ticket No. 107 won the cushion raffled by the Oak Bay Community Centre. \*\*\*

The Overseas Nursing Sisters' Association meeting scheduled for Feb. 21, has been postponed indefinitely. \*\*\*

The regular meeting of the Victoria Gladiolus Society will be held Thursday evening at the City Hall, 8 o'clock. \*\*\*

W. J. Fraser, D.S.C., Registered Chiropractor, E 4326. House calls by appointment. \*\*\*

Would those interested in the formation of neighborhood gardening clubs, phone B 4521 for further particulars. \*\*\*

Women's Canadian Club reception and tea in honor of Mrs. Banks, Friday, Feb. 21, 3 till 5. Tickets on sale at Fletcher's, Thursday, 11 till 3. No tickets sold on Friday. \*\*\*

## Winners Of Scout And Cub Model Contests Named

Individual and pack and troop winners have been announced in the annual scout and cub competitions held in conjunction with Scout and Guide Week, Freeman King, field commissioner, reported yesterday. The week is on now and ends Saturday with the Scout Fair, starting at 2, at Bay Street Armories.

Esquimalt B Pack won the honors as the best model display of a scene from Kipling's "Jungle Book." The runner-up was James Bay B Pack, Parkdale Scout Troop and Tillicum Cub Pack, placed third and fourth, respectively.

The Third Victoria Scout Troop came through with the laurels for construction of a model camp site. North Quadra Rover Patrol has designed the best knot board. Paul Smith of the Tillicum Scout Troop took top honors in the pathfinding map contest and of the same troop, Ron Stenier won the camp gadgets contest.

A first prize was won by D. Price of the Parkdale Cub Pack for his craftsmanship in producing a model prairie schooner. Other class winners follow:

A. Jones, Parkdale Pack; G. Andrews, James Bay B Pack; J. Downard, Colwood Pack; G. Johnstone, Esquimalt A Pack; Harold Kirkham, Parkdale Pack; Russell West, James Bay A Pack; John Steeves, James Bay A Pack; Dick Proudfoot, Colwood Pack; J. O'Dell, Colwood Pack; John Hall, Esquimalt A Pack; B. Pearson, Tillicum Pack, and D. Price, Parkdale Pack.

## Weather

Vancouver and Vicinity Lower Fraser Valley, Strait of Georgia—Overcast today and Thursday with brief clearing during the afternoon. Light winds. Little change in temperature.

West Coast Vancouver Island—Overcast today. Thursday overcast with intermittent drizzle. Light winds. Little change in temperature.

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
Montreal	-3	33	
Toronto	9	31	.62
North Bay	24	37	.83
Port Arthur	10	3	
Kenosha	-11	3	Trace
Winnipeg	18	3	
Brandon	21	0	
The Pas	20	3	
Regina	20	3	
Saskatoon	24	3	
Prince Albert	3	5	
Swift Current	3	5	
Lethbridge	3	23	.62
Calgary	3	12	.38
Edmonton	-7	2	.07
Kamloops	27	42	
Penticton	24	34	
Vancouver	38	45	
Victoria	37	42	
Cranbrook	22	33	
Crossed V	19	33	
Prince Rupert	9	32	.01
Prince George	46	62	
Portland	41	49	
Spokane	35	44	
Chicago	6	54	Trace
San Francisco	49	54	Trace
Los Angeles	66	75	
New York	25	47	
North Battleford	-5	-4	

## Not Picking Fights, Says LaGuardia

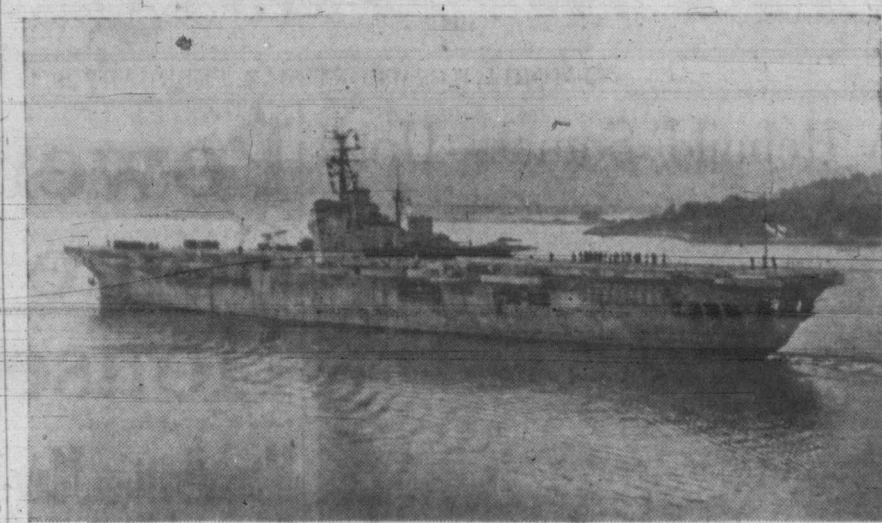
WINNIPEG (CP)—Fiorello H. LaGuardia, former mayor of New York City, told reporters here that "I never picked a fight in my life. I only fight when people pick on me."

Then he added, when reference was made to his short stature, "I've never yet met a six footer I couldn't lick."

Mr. LaGuardia, here to attend a meeting of the Canadian-United States Defence Board, admitted, however, that he had met his match once.

Asked why he'd quit the New York mayor's job, he replied: "No human body could stand that job longer than 12 years."

## Victoria Bids Goodbye To Carrier Warrior



Canada's aircraft carrier Warrior as she left Esquimalt Harbor Tuesday afternoon on a voyage which will include a training cruise with the cruiser Uganda and destroyer Crescent. After two months here, the carrier is returning to Halifax, N.S., where she is expected to go into reserve after the R.C.N. takes over the new carrier Magnificent, now nearing completion in the United Kingdom.

## Canada Assured 200,000,000 Wheat Export Yearly In New Plan

OTTAWA (CP)—A draft international wheat agreement to be placed before the International Wheat Conference opening in London next month would assure Canada of an export market of 200,000,000 bushels yearly at minimum—and maximum prices of \$1.25 and \$1.55 a bushel for No. 1 Manitoba northern.

The proposed agreement, tabled in the Commons Tuesday night by Trade Minister MacKinnon, was drawn up by the International Wheat Council as a basis for discussion at the London Conference opening March 18.

As a draft, the document is in no way binding on the governments concerned, and will be replaced by a final agreement based on conference discussion.

Labeling the agreement as merely a guide to governments in their consideration of questions of policy, the council dis-

closed that at a meeting last July the majority of major wheat exporting and importing countries indicated they would accept as basic minimum and maximum export prices in a final agreement Canadian prices of \$1.25 and \$1.55 a bushel for No. 1 Manitoba northern in store at Fort William-Port Arthur or Vancouver.

On this basis, the council suggested these basic prices be established on that basis for the duration of the agreement, which it recommended become effective Aug. 1 this year and run for four or five years.

Initial minimum and maximum prices of the other big exporting countries—Argentina, Australia and the United States—would be based on Canadian prices, while those of other exporting countries would be determined in consultation with the governments of those countries.

## Russia Discloses Nazi Warships Given Her Not Yet Destroyed

WASHINGTON (AP)—United States State Department officials disclosed today that Russia has acknowledged "difficulties" in carrying out a Big Three agreement to destroy her share of damaged German warships as agreed at the Potsdam Conference.

The officials said both the United States and Britain have carried out their commitments to sink or otherwise destroy the damaged Nazi vessels allotted to them for the purpose.

Topping the list of the captured vessels the Russians were to destroy was Germany's single aircraft carrier, the Graf Zeppelin. Whether it was among the craft whose destruction has met with "difficulties" was not revealed.

The Soviet acknowledgment of delay was received last Dec. 6, but was made public today only in response to British and American inquiries. It was a memorandum to the tripartite naval commission of the Allied Control Council for Germany.

The Potsdam Conference decided that surface vessels remaining from the battered German fleet which were in operating condition or could be repaired within six months should be divided equally among the three powers.

Officials emphasized that no-

one in a responsible position has suggested that the Soviets intended to repair the Graf Zeppelin or other ships for addition to the Red Fleet in the Baltic.

## Chamber Discusses West Coast Road

The fifty-year-old dream of a West Coast highway was once again up for discussion at a meeting Monday of the board of directors of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce.

Some of the members were strongly in favor of pressing the government for action in connection with the highway which would connect Victoria to Port Renfrew and thus open a vast new territory to the general public.

But J. V. Johnson took the stand that nothing should be done to urge construction of the route until the north and south highway had been completed. He was of the opinion that the Highway Commission had enough difficulties in coping with present road conditions throughout the province.

Archie Willis strongly urged the board to support Sooke in its efforts for a West Coast highway and road improvements. He said the West Coast road had been

advocated by Victoria for 20 years and efforts should be continued to get it.

President C. H. Holmes was of the opinion that the board should draw up a plan of what roads it wanted. "It would be wise for us to draw up a road building program," he said. "We must remember that it will take years before construction will actually begin, so the sooner we start the better."

However, before advocating any road building program, the chamber decided to inquire what government plans were with regard to highway construction.

## Chamber To Study Agrologists Act

After divergent views had been aired with regard to the proposed Agrologists Act to be submitted in the near future to the Legislative Assembly, members of the Chamber of Commerce decided to see copies of the bill for taking action.

Two speakers invited at the Tuesday meeting to speak for and against the measure, omitted to supply the board with copies. Members listened to C. R. Wilson, representing the Sidney and North Saanich Chamber of Commerce, paint a gloomy picture on the dangers of permitting passage of the act. He said the measure was infringing on the rights of individuals and a step towards Fascism.

J. J. Woods, a proponent of the act, said it would protect the farmer from exploitation or unsound agricultural practice.

The board after listening to the speakers decided to leave the question to a committee for study before taking a census of opinion on the subject.

"I couldn't give an opinion on the act," remarked Major Cuthbert Holmes after the meeting had been brought to a close. "I don't know yet what its all about, and I'll have to see the measure before I can express my views."

## George Willis Agent For Trailway Motor Coaches

George Willis, owner of the Western Canada Travel Service and the Vancouver Island Travel Service with head office at 602 Courtney Street, two doors up from the Post Office, has been appointed Victoria and Vancouver agent for the West Coast Trailways which operates smart new deluxe Motor Coaches from Seattle to San Francisco.

You may now purchase your ticket here, destined for anywhere in the United States or Canada, and can ride the many beautiful luxurious Trailway Coaches east or south.

George has spent much time traveling in the United States these past nine years advertising Victoria and can advise the new prospective traveler the most interesting places to see by these smart red and silver affiliated Trailway Motor Coach Companies. If you want to go east, take the southern route through Salt Lake City and Denver by Burlington and Santa Fe Trailways you will enjoy this trip. Call at the office for information and surprisingly low fares and all expense tours, look for the TRAVEL sign opposite the Post Office and the TRAVEL column in this paper.

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## M.P.'s Enquiring About Disposal Of Nazi Property

OTTAWA (CP)—Donald Fleming, P.C., Toronto-Eglinton, Tuesday in the Commons opened a Progressive Conservative attack on the government's plans to seek continuation of certain wartime powers dealing with trading with enemy countries and the disposition of enemy property.

Speaking on a resolution preliminary to a bill to give statutory form to this authority, Mr. Fleming said a measure providing for "greatly-reduced" powers would have to be submitted if the minister hoped to get it through the House.

He spoke after State Secretary Gibson, moving the resolution, said the powers would be required at least until after the peace treaties had been signed.

Mr. Fleming expressed regret that no report had been made to Parliament by the custodian of enemy property since that office was established at the outbreak of war. The office constituted a "land of mystery."

Mr. Fleming wondered whether the House realized the extent of some of the "vast powers" conferred upon the Minister and the custodian and whether they were the kind of regulations the House would want to keep in place.

Mr. Fleming, M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. Leader, and Gordon Graydon P.C., Peel, Ont., urged Col. Gibson to table a full report on the activities of the custodian of enemy property.

## Judge Ruled Out In Divorce Case

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Actress Laraine Day, the bride of Brooklyn's Leo Durocher, Tuesday was successful in having Judge George A. Dockweiler disqualified from hearing further proceedings in connection with the move to void her California divorce.

Judge Edward T. Bishop ruled that Judge Dockweiler had shown bias and that it was "probable" that Miss Day could not obtain a "fair and impartial trial" before him. Judge Dockweiler had ordered Miss Day to appear before him and show cause why the interlocutory divorce decree he granted her should not be set aside.

The order means that the case will be transferred to another Superior Court judge.

## Coroner's Jury Censures Parents

VERNON, B.C. (CP)—A coroner's jury which investigated the deaths last Saturday of the two young children of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Coe, returned a verdict of "gross negligence" on the part of the parents who "negligently left their children in the care of irresponsible juveniles."

Verdict in the deaths of Philip Coe, five, and Douglas Coe, four, was suffocation.

The two small boys had been left in the care of a 14-year-old boy when the parents went out. The boy left the children to see a hockey game and returned when he heard fire engines which answered the call to the Coe home.

## Movers Can't Take Mother's Tears

VANCOUVER (CP)—Three moving men, summoned to carry out an eviction order Tuesday, refused to continue the assignment when they were confronted with the tears of a mother and her seven children who soon were to be homeless.

Mrs. Mary Hutchison and her youngsters, ranging in ages from 3 to 16, were ordered to vacate their home by sheriff's writ, and Deputy Sheriff John Diggle was on hand to carry out the eviction.

Another moving truck was summoned to take up the odious task where the three conscientious objectors had left off.

Shelter for the night later was found for the Hutchison family, but it may be necessary to seek emergency shelter until the mother and children are able to locate a home.

## Auto Output Up

OTTAWA (CP)—January production of automobiles in Canada totaled 11,416 compared with 9,125 in December, the Bureau of Statistics reported Tuesday.

The output was the largest since last May, when 12,755 units were turned out.

Production of all types—passenger and commercial—in January totaled 19,045 compared with 17,348 in December. Of the January output, 3,343 cars and 3,048 commercial vehicles were for export.

## Island News

### School Building Campaign Opens In Port Alberni

PORT ALBERNI—At a meeting of a parent-teacher association meeting, Trustee William Johnstone, school board building and grounds chairman, opened the school building program campaign here, involving expenditures of \$1,300,000 to cover District No. 70.

Mr. Johnstone said the junior-senior high school would cost \$700,000, while the additional money was for elementary school additions in Alberni, Gill and Franklin River districts of the valley.

Half of the expenditures involved would be borne by the provincial government, Mr. Johnstone said.

### Salt Spring To Form Legion Auxiliary

GANGES—With the object of forming a women's auxiliary to the Salt Spring Island branch of the Canadian Legion, a meeting was held in the Mahon Hall with Dr. A. Francis presiding. Those present voted in favor of forming the auxiliary. Temporary officers elected were: President, Mrs. B. Acland; first vice-president, Mrs. W. L. Rogers; second vice-president, Mrs. A. Francis; secretary, Miss S. Wilson; treasurer, Mrs. J. Watson; committee, Mrs. G. Lowe, Mrs. C. Devine and Miss R. Loosmore.

### Freight Station Discussed At Duncan

DUNCAN—The feasibility of building a freight station on the Cowichan Bay branch line at Koksilah has been discussed by R. A. Bell, transportation executive of the C.N.R. and two officials of the railway, and the Duncan Chamber of Commerce.

The parties came to no decision after discussing the amount of business which might be picked up. However, a suggestion by Mayor J. C. Wragg that a spur line into Duncan might be practical was well received by Mr. Bell.

### Ex-Editor Sees Field For Plastics

PORT ALBERNI—W. L. McTavish, retired editor of the Vancouver Province, told the Women's Canadian Club here that the field of plastics opened a tremendous opportunity for the Alberni, now that an additional 100,000 horsepower of electrical power was to become available.

The speaker also said Vancouver Island had not reached the limit of its productivity or ability to support more people.

### Russian Delegate On Northern Tour

OTTAWA (CP)—Army officials said here a Russian representative apparently would be included in a party of 10 to 15 foreign observers scheduled to visit the northern experimental base at Churchill, Man., next week.

The disclosure Tuesday came at a time when the Russian newspaper Izvestia labeled the recently announced Canadian-United States peacetime defence collaboration agreement "an iron fist in a velvet glove" and contended that Canada was turning over her territory and army to the United States in preparation for aggression.

Army headquarters said the Russian Embassy had said it would send a representative on the visit of a group of foreign military attaches and newspapermen to the joint services base in the rugged shore of Hudson Bay. Invitations were sent to all foreign military attaches in the city and none so far have declined the invitation.

The party will leave Ottawa by plane Feb. 26, will spend one full day, Feb. 28, in Churchill and will return to Ottawa March 2. About 15 newspapermen are expected to make the trip.

### Wheat Boost Means \$10,875,000 To West

WINNIPEG (CP)—An additional \$10,875,000 will be divided among western Canadian farmers as a result of the 30-cent a bushel increase in the price of wheat for consumption in Canada, announced Monday by Trade Minister MacKinnon.

The sum is based on the Canadian Wheat Board's estimate of the amount which will be delivered to the board for the balance of the year. It is estimated 36,250,000 bushels will be sold at the new price of \$1.35 a bushel.

## New Government Plan For Occupied Zones

WIESBADEN (AP)—The eight German states of the U.S. and British zones are seeking to form a quasi-government of western Germany, it was indicated today.

This proposed organization, American observers believed, could become the basis of formal political union of Germany west of the Elbe if the Russians fail to agree on a central German government at the Moscow Foreign Ministers' conference.

The states' ministers-president secretly discussed a bizonal "political directorate" at an informal meeting Monday. One participant said definite recommendations would be made to the U.S. and British governments.

The plan centres around the five bizonal agencies established by Anglo-American authorities. These German agencies run almost the entire economy—food and agriculture, economies, transportation, finance and post. With offices scattered about the two zones to avoid political implications, they at present issue military-approved directives to which the state governments must conform.

German sources said the ministers-president feel they "must have control" to avoid chaos and confusion of purpose and needs.

## To Move Newsprint

OTTAWA (CP)—Transport Controller B. S. Liberty said Tuesday he had issued a priorities order to Canadian railroads instructing them to make available to newsprint plants sufficient freight cars to keep them in operation.

## French Now Hold All Of Hanoi

PARIS (Reuter)—French forces now have occupied the whole of the Chinese and Indo-Chinese quarter of Hanoi, a Hanoi report said today. Viet Namese nationalists escaped through an underground passage.

The fighting at Hanoi started Dec. 19 when Viet Nam forces suddenly attacked the French garrison.

Six hundred soldiers of the French Foreign Legion left Hanoi Tuesday on their way to Indo-China.

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## Uranium Production At Standstill While U.S. Senate Clashes

WASHINGTON (AP)—Western mine owners said today the United States Senate battle over nomination of David E. Lilienthal to head the Atomic Energy Commission is affecting the output of uranium—prime source of all man-made nuclear energy.

As the hearings went through another day, a group of Colorado and Utah uranium producers said 300 mines in those states are idle for lack of answers to two questions:

When will the government start buying uranium from the mines, and what price will it pay?

Charles J. Moynihan of Montrose, Colo., counsel for the group, told reporters the mine owners had come to Washington seeking the answers from members of the Atomic Energy Commission.

H. W. Balsley of Moab, Utah, one of the miner owners, noted that the Atomic Act forbids the sale of fissionable materials to any agency outside the government, and hence the mines have no way of recovering on their production.

Much of the uranium ore in the region is mined in connection with vanadium, and Balsley said the present vanadium market will not justify operations for that steel-hardening metal alone.

## British Football

LONDON (Reuter)—Burnley and Tottenham Hotspur played to a scoreless tie Tuesday in the only scheduled soccer game of the English League's Second Division.

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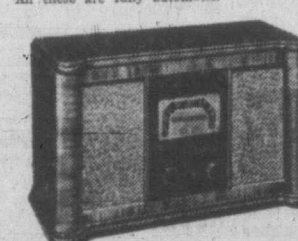
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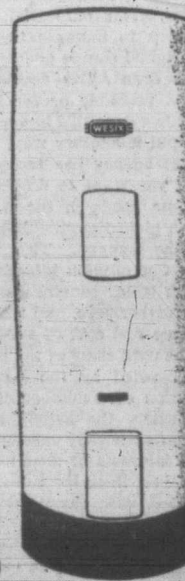
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## PARTNERS FOR P.G.E.

ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT parts of the highly-informative policy speech which Mr. Hart delivered in the Legislature on Monday afternoon was his fully detailed report on the Pacific Great Eastern Railway. While he was not able to promise the elected representatives of the people an early solution of the numerous problems associated with the present and future of their own transportation system, the Premier brought the House up to date on a vast amount of detail which had been engaging the attention of the government during the last few months. His account of the merits and demerits of the various routes proposed for the railway's extension into the Peace River district, his description of the great storehouse of natural wealth which completion of the line would tap, and his hopes for a four-way partnership in subsequent construction and development work—all these factors received exhaustive treatment from Mr. Hart.

Four months ago, it may be remembered, the Premier assured the Vancouver Board of Trade in categorical terms that it was the intention of the Coalition administration to see that the railway was extended to the Peace River district. And he reminded his mainland audience that the P.G.E., as at present constituted, was a pioneer railway lending itself to the wants and necessities of the people who pioneered the country by providing low rates for commodities and encouragement for industry. Mr. Hart is on sound ground, moreover, when he argues that the completion of this provincially-owned railway is not an undertaking to be regarded solely as a British Columbia concern. On the contrary; imaginative development of the territory which the line already serves and should eventually serve could transform the enterprise into a valuable factor in the national economy.

For the foregoing and other equally obvious reasons, therefore, the government of this province has a right to expect favorable consideration for Mr. Hart's proposal that, as soon as the final reports on location and resources are available, conferees from the province, the Dominion Government and the two transcontinental railway systems shall meet and examine the prospect which the Premier outlined to Mr. Mackenzie King on his last visit to Ottawa. The implication of this plan—which Mr. Hart explained in his speech on Monday—is a bid by British Columbia for practical assistance in the carrying out of a proposal which should result in the intensive development of the potentialities of the Peace River area, "not only in the interest of British Columbia, but Canada as a whole." At long last, then, the line which has produced many speeches through the years may come into its own.

## THE PUBLIC DEMANDED IT

SO FAR AS WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO detect from our scrutiny of the newspapers of the province which reach our exchange table—and they reflect public opinion fairly accurately—support and approval of the Coalition government's rural electrification policy appears to be practically unanimous. We refer to the fact here and at this juncture because our morning contemporary is almost alone in its somewhat strange antipathy to the successive additions to the capital structure of the British Columbia Power Commission. What on earth is to happen to this branch of the public service of the province if it is not to be provided with the funds to carry out the wishes of the people as sanctioned by their representatives in the Legislature? One would almost think the Colonist already had written off \$30,000,000 as a bad debt—with nothing whatever to show for it and with no prospect of any form of return.

What has happened since the Power Commission began to act under the authority vested in it by the Legislature is simple to understand. It is developing new power—power for which the former owners of its source did not think there would be adequate demand. Not only that; it has found it necessary to increase the potentialities of that original source and lay the groundwork for an even fuller development than was thought possible or feasible a year or so ago. It has done this because of the demand; or, to put it another way, because this government agency has recognized the maxim that if you want to do business, you must put your goods in the window and mark them in plain figures—and then be ready to meet the demand. This is what the B.C. Power Commission intends to do.

With this general business policy in mind, furthermore, and with due regard for efficiency and cost of service, the Commission has used some of the millions of dollars already voted by the Legislature for the acquisition of a number of small plants in areas where the supply of energy either has been somewhat unreliable or too costly. In the interests of sound economy, by the same token, these individual units have been integrated, with results that cannot fail to be mutually advantageous.

What the morning paper does not choose to observe or admit, of course, is that the consumers of the power to be generated by the Commission's holdings will be contributing to the liquidation of the capital cost by

their purchases. And the difference between the former system of power supply in the rural areas is likewise simple to understand and appreciate. Under the old ownership, dividends were naturally a prime consideration; under the policies of the Power Commission, the greater the sales, the greater will be the benefits to be passed on to the people who are now committed to a plan which, in its essence, is new evidence that there are some enterprises in which public ownership has an excellent chance of justifying itself in our free economy.

## PLAYING THE OSTRICH

FOR MANY YEARS THIS NEWSPAPER has advocated amalgamation of Greater Victoria municipalities into one administrative unit. The overall benefits of such a scheme, as we see them, have been outlined in detail. We are unwilling, of course, to deny opponents of the plan the right to hold and express contrary ideas. But we cannot understand the attitude taken by the Saanich Council which last night refused to permit investigation of the scheme and the factors involved by some qualified authority to be chosen by the city and municipalities concerned. Can the elected representatives of that municipality—or a majority of them—adopt the ostrich technique of burying its head in the sand?

Moreover, if Reeve E. C. Warren wants an answer to his question: "Why should we move at the request of outsiders?" he might be informed that no municipality can now consider itself an independent and isolated entity. This is an age of interdependence. If Saanich wishes to have itself off, it should give full consideration to the eventual results of such a policy.

The reaction of that municipality to the proposal that facts be assembled and published regarding the position of each district in respect to amalgamation is less than flattering to those who have initiated the idea. It appears to us to be the negation of a commonsense outlook. Furthermore, if Saanich insists on "going it alone," it is conceivable that its neighbors will remember that attitude when Saanich, in future, desires co-operative action on some objective of benefit to itself.

If this stand is maintained, it might be well for the city to launch unification moves from a different approach. Esquimalt has lent a sympathetic ear to the suggestion. A beginning might be made by concentrating on amalgamation of these two units.

## GOING AFTER BUSINESS

INVITATIONS TO AN INTERNATIONAL trade fair are being forwarded by Canada's trade commissioners to manufacturers and other producers in countries with which the Dominion enjoys commercial relations. These have been printed in Dutch, English, French, Portuguese and Spanish, and a proportion in English and French for distribution in Canada.

A trade fair is a "mart," not a public exposition, where producers and wholesale buyers meet to compare products and conduct business. The first fair of this kind on record was held in Nijni-Novgorod, Russia, in 1555, 22 years after Great Britain and Russia had signed a trade treaty—in 1533. With the passage of time, principal countries of Europe inaugurated industrial trade fairs. For many years Canadian buyers have attended such functions at Paris, Prague, Brussels, Milan, Leipzig, Utrecht and London.

Today Canada's manufacturers and producers are working at capacity to supply domestic demands. Those of vision, however, anticipate that this country will be in a position by 1948 to meet more fully the needs of export markets, hungry for our goods. To investigate and contact these markets is a slow and costly procedure, and Canada now joins major exporting countries holding trade fairs. It is maintained there is no better medium offered to Canadian manufacturers and producers, seeking further outlets, than the opportunity presented by the Canadian International Trade Fair. The business it should bring to Canadians is of great interest to the nation's primary and secondary industries.

## TANGIBLE SUPPORT ASKED

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## NOTES

Yes, Heaven watches all you do. But it is easier to be good if the neighbors are watching, too.

The difference between a violin and a fiddle is that a violin affects your ears but not your feet.

The whole darned world seems like a neurotic who might get well if he didn't enjoy talking about his symptoms.

# Walter Lippmann

MR. TAFT'S 1929

AFTER SOME MORE study, which he has promised to make, Senator Taft will, one may hope, wish to revise his Lincoln Day speech. For if this is meant to be a statement, or even a preview, of what he thinks American economic policy should be in the postwar period, then it is fair to say that it contains no hint of a suggestion that he has begun to face up to the hard facts of the situation.

"The problem of stability," he said, "seems to me to rest primarily on a continuing balance between competitive forces, a balance between taxes and government spending, a balance between wage levels and price levels, a balance between wages and consumption, a balance between agricultural and industrial income." It is curious that he neglected to mention the need of a balance between savings and investment. Yet if there is one clear and certain lesson of the past twenty-five years, it is that when savings can no longer be invested profitably, and are not used in some other way, the whole economic system is thrown out of balance.

IN THE LAST QUARTER of 1946 capital investment, that is to say expenditures for new capital and equipment by American business, not counting agriculture, was running at the rate of fourteen billion dollars annually. The question is how long can American business continue prudently and profitably to invest capital at this rate, and what happens to employment, to wages, to industrial and farm prices, when this capital expenditure tapers off?

That question is not easily answered, and no one can quarrel with Senator Taft for not having a glib answer. But to fail to ask the question, to appear to be unaware that there is such a question, is to be blind to experience and to the facts of life. For in the postwar period of the 20's purchases of new plant and equipment rose to their peak in 1929 at something over nine billions, and fell to a little over two billions in the depth of the depression in 1933. They never got much above six billions during the New Deal era until war production began after 1939.

MR. TAFT'S PROBLEM, and the U.S. problem, is posed by the fact that if there is a serious decline from the present rate of private capital investment, a serious depression is as certain as anything can be. How long then can American business continue to buy new plant and equipment at the present rate of fourteen billions annually? No one can say exactly how long. But what is sure is that it cannot and will not be done indefinitely and continually. In each established business the time must come when it has all the plant and all the equipment which it can use profitably to make the goods and services it has a reasonable prospect of selling. Then, unless there are great new enterprises calling for capital investment, new areas to be opened up, the capital will not be invested, and the whole national economy thrown out of balance.

That time of trouble will surely come within a relatively few years—perhaps not in three years but almost certainly within ten. It will come, that is to say, unless we are fully aware of it long in advance, and are prepared and resolved to deal with it before it comes.

THERE IS NOTHING IN Mr. Taft's speech to indicate that he is even aware of the problem, much less that he is preparing for it, or is resolved to deal with it. There is, on the contrary, disconcerting reason to think that Mr. Taft has as a matter of principle—quite sincere principle—closed his mind against any of the possible solutions.

They are, one, to export abroad the surplus capital that cannot be invested at home, and to reinvest abroad the profits of that foreign investment. Mr. Taft regards foreign trade as "highly desirable" but of trifling importance and he wishes to cut to the bone American economic action abroad. Second, to invest large sums in the upkeep and development of a great military establishment and of the supporting war industries. Mr. Taft wishes to trim the military budget to a point where U.S. far-flung commitments cannot be adequately supported. Third, to engage in a large program of public investment for the conservation and development of American national resources, and for the improvement of the United States' altogether inadequate system of education, scientific and cultural research, and public health. Mr. Taft will certainly shrink from anything like that if it is to be done on large scale.

WHAT THEN, is there left to him as a policy which he can support as the day comes, as come it must, when private capital investment can no longer be sustained year after year at anything like the present rate? He does not approve of public investment, he dislikes the export of capital and does not care much for the expansion of foreign trade, and he has never liked military power. All that is left to him is to act as if private business could go on investing capital indefinitely, and to say nothing about what will happen to business and to the country when it becomes impossible for prudent business men to continue investing huge sums of new money.

That may for the time being serve as a sufficient policy for the dominant party in this postwar era. It might serve as a political program through the election of 1948. But it contains nothing which can avert, or prepare the country for, that repetition of the disaster of 1929 to which this philosophy of unregenerate laissez-faire will surely take us.

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## The Execution Was A Failure



## France Favors Broader Peace Parley

Servie D'Information Francaise

FOLLOWING two memoranda submitted by France to the American, Russian and British governments dealing with the organization of Germany, a third document has been lodged with the "Conference of Deputies," sitting in London. It deals with procedures to be adopted in drafting the treaty. The notable feature in this document is the proposal of the French government that all the states concerned be associated more closely in the discussions of the four foreign ministers and of their deputies.

The note recalls first of all that, according to the decisions at Potsdam, the German treaty was to be drafted by the Council of the Four Foreign Ministers, representing the States which countersigned the German capitulation. However, it is important to modify the procedure envisaged "on one point only," for, states the document, "experience has shown that change in method was necessary in this regard. It is a question of the participation of the other allied States." The aim of the French proposal is, on the one hand, to specify the conditions the other allied States concerned can be included in the drafting of the treaty, and, on the other hand, to define the procedure which should be adopted by the Foreign Ministers on March 10 at Moscow, and finally, to set forth the methods which should be applied in the work of the next Peace Conference.

FOREIGN MINISTERS' COUNCIL  
The Foreign Ministers' Council should draw up a list of the "States concerned," that is, neighbors of Germany or Allies "whose armed forces took part in the struggle against Germany." It is also stated that "every time

## PEACE CONFERENCE

"The procedure defined above," continues the French memorandum, "should make it possible to answer most of the demands presented by the interested States, notably, by providing them, as the work progresses, with the principal documents relating to that work and permitting them to present their observations when they will be of use. Fuller documentation should be placed at their disposal on the opening of the General Conference which will be called by the Foreign Ministers' Council as soon as the work pertaining to the settlement of the German problem is sufficiently advanced, with the reservation that the work of this conference should be carried out, in general, along the lines of the 1946 Paris Conference."

This memorandum does not constitute the first French effort to give the allied countries as large a part as possible in drafting the German treaty. As early as July 12, 1946, Georges Bidault asked the Foreign Ministers' Council to allow Germany's neighbors to participate in the coming work on that question.

On December 7, last, at New York, Couve de Murville, who represented France in the Foreign Ministers' Council, declared himself in favor of a hearing being granted to all the interested States by the deputies but added that this would be too little participation. He reserved the right to ask later that these States should be given a greater role in the preparation of the peace. That is the purpose of the memorandum analysed above, and which constitutes the broadest and most comprehensive proposal so far submitted to an organ of the Foreign Ministers Council on this subject.

## Letters To The Editor

### ELECTIONS ACT

Apologies of the suggested amendments to the Elections Act including compulsory voting I think the merits of the preferential ballot should be seriously considered where there are a multiplicity of candidates.

T. TURNBULL.  
511 Frances Ave.

### DIVERSION OF BUTTER

Front page of the London Daily Telegraph, Jan. 10, says that the handling over to Canada, by England, of six thousand tons of Australian butter in response to a pressing Canadian request, has been for a England "a decision not easy to take."

Unfortunately, in times of economic dislocation, food becomes a strong political weapon. To starve a country is the next best thing to shooting at her.

Who is the Canadian responsible for this "pressing" unheralded request in order that Canadians might not be asked to eat a few less dabs of butter monthly? Well-fed Canadians, too!

What a contrast to England's

action, in lately telling the American President, though in direct extremity for lack of coal, that "we could not accept American coal cargoes destined for Europe."

I feel sure "Canadian citizens" would repudiate this unheroic butter manipulation, if they had been consulted. At any rate, citizens have a right to know the name of the Canadian official responsible for it.

GLADYS SHRAPNEL.  
1578 Clive Drive.

### AIRPARK FUTURE

In your issue of February 17 Mrs. McDowell poses a question which can be answered quite simply. In all Canada there is only one scheduled stop of Trans-Canada Airlines at an airport a greater distance from city centre than is Patricia Bay, and this particular airport serves two cities. Toronto's Malton Airport is 18 miles from city centre as is Patricia Bay, but Toronto has a population of approximately 800,000, and in addition has several other airports closer in. Edmonton's airport is 3½ miles from city centre and much closer than

this to its most choice residential section.

It is quite possible that Mrs. McDowell is prompted to strike out blindly against the progress of Greater Victoria because of misinformation presently being circulated, and specifically designed to arouse protest from people who are essentially tolerant and progressive. This activity is a shameful disservice to the community and any ratepayer who has been solicited to petition against the airport development may direct any request for information to this association. All questions answered will quote source and authority.

The Saanich Council is being provided with all the pertinent facts, both for and against the establishment of a Great Victoria Airpark in the Gordon Head area, and it will be upon these facts that the case will be judged. The elected representatives of Saanich will probably react adversely to any intimidation.

M. I. HAGUE.  
Vice-president Memorial Airpark Association.  
P.O. Box 204.

## CLIPPED AS RANDOM

### FORCEFUL FRIENDSHIP

Winnipeg Free Press  
Poland is the victim of Russia's mistakes as of its own. Russia has sought to force communism on the Poles against their will. Its attempt to conciliate them by force has failed. Friendship inflicted by force is seldom a success. The net result is that Russia finds on its border a friendly Polish government but a hostile Polish people.

### SNOW COSTS

Ottawa Citizen  
Twenty years ago Ottawa's bill for snow removal was about \$26,000. Last year, for snow removal, sanding and new equipment, the city paid out slightly over \$400,000.  
Nor is any end to these snow-balling snow costs in sight. With every improvement the public demands more and better service, kicks unless the snowplows and blowers are out within minutes, almost, of the first new flakes drifting down.

### PRECARIOUS JOB?

Ottawa Journal  
Leading the Liberal party in Ontario comes under the heading of precarious occupations, but there are always men willing to take the risks. Mr. Hepburn resigned in October, 1942, and then inside the year the job was held by Mr. Conant and after him by Mr. Nixon, both briefly as premier. Mr. Nixon lost an election, and presently he was followed by Mr. Farquhar Oliver, the present incumbent, who is not quite 43, but perhaps the party potentates think that is not young enough for the formidable task of ousting Premier George Drew and his Progressive Conservatives.

### SETTLERS ENCOURAGED

Montreal Star  
Canada is not yet prepared to open wide her doors to immigrants, but the new regulations announced the other day by the Minister of Mines and Resources should encourage a fair number to come to this country to assured employment. We need additional farm workers and men for mining, lumbering and logging, and it is to the assistance of this part of our economy that the new regulations are directed. They will result in no flood of immigration, but in these selected categories there must be many in northwestern Europe and the United Kingdom eager and willing to come.

### DICTATED TREATIES

Edmonton Bulletin  
The treaty with Italy was dictated. The treaty with Germany will also have to be dictated. These countries set out to conquer Europe, as the first step in conquering the world. They failed, but they are not penitent. To make peace with them on their terms would be to tell their peoples that the mistake they made was not in launching the war of aggression but in losing it.

Whether they like it or not, the only way the Allies can make a dependable peace with the Axis powers is to lay down the terms, tell them to sign on the dotted line "or else"—and then keep forces on hand to see that the dictated terms are kept.

## Restrictive Practices

Daily Mirror (London)

INDUSTRY LAGS through shortage of labor. That, at least, is the orthodox explanation. But shortage of labor is not the only cause. It would not be far from the truth to say that lack of production is due as much, if not more, to restrictive practices than to actual lack of manpower. There are restrictive practices in almost every trade, and the people engaged in those trades know it. These practices are not confined to the trade unions. Non-unionists are quite capable of inventing their own methods of going slow and, in the majority of cases, do so. What it boils down to is a fairly widespread reluctance to do a good day's work for a fair day's pay.

### THINGS DEARER

It is a short-sighted policy, for its effect in the end is to put up prices so that the consumer has to pay more for an article than it is worth. In this result it is not the worker alone who is to blame. Employers and trade associations have their own methods of putting a brake on the wheel when it suits their purpose.

It must be remembered, as Sir Stafford Cripps reminded us, that the restrictive practice is an unfortunate legacy from the time when unemployment was rife and the workman always in danger of losing his job. That was the fruit of an economic system which is now disappearing. The justifiable slogan for today is "R.P. Must Go."



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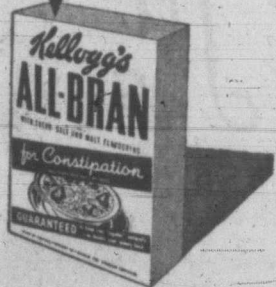
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## Community Centre Active In James Bay

The long green one-story at Dallas and Pilot, erected two years ago by volunteer workers, tenants in the Wartime Housing Ltd. area of James Bay, was brought into service again when the Community Counselors entertained past and present members of the James Bay Council and other invited guests from Greater Victoria at a reception and tea.

Miss Margaret Hines and Mrs. Jeanne-May Williams received the guests. Miss Hines reviewed the history of the building and the rapid growth of program. She cited the most spectacular events of recent months: A summer picnic attended by 150 parents and children, Christmas parties with up to 500 children given treats and toys, the junior boxing team featured in the local news, and the gift to the district by E. D. Todd of two playlots with \$1500 for their development. It is anticipated that Todd Play-ground will serve many children in the area.

### WEEKLY CRAFT GROUPS

Other important activities are weekly craft groups conducted by skilled leaders. Boys of 6 to 9 years are making bird-houses, flower boxes, candlesticks and other useful articles in the wood-working class and learning the principles of house construction in the carpentering class. The older boys are making model boats and the girls' clubs are busy doing felt and leathercraft. Teen-agers and adults enjoy social evenings, cards and dancing.

Miss E. A. Vaughan, regional counselor, from Vancouver, gave an illuminating introduction to the colored sound movie shown. The film entitled "Community Organization" shows the object of the Wartime Housing Community Centre project over the past several years and the valuable contribution made to the social and cultural well-being of the people by a well conceived and directed program.

Tea tables were gaily decked with spring flowers and ingeniously fashioned toys. The teenage boys and girls ably assisted in serving and entertaining the guests. Mrs. F. M. Broddy and Mrs. A. J. Tullis presided at the urns.

Among the guests noted were Alderman D. D. McTavish, Cmdr. and Mrs. A. J. Tullis, Miss Margaret Clay, Mrs. J. Islay Mutter, Miss Gwen Fife, Mrs. J. M. Jackson, Dr. Henrietta Anderson, Mrs. W. W. McGill, Mr. and Mrs. D. Decker, Rev. Leadbeater, Mr. and Mrs. Len Hobbs, Miss Isobel Pike, Mrs. C. Buhlin, R. T. Hoard, J. E. Meadley and Alan Browning.

## The DOCTOR Says:

### PEPTIC ULCER RESPONDS TO TREATMENT

By WILLIAM A. O'BRIEN, M.D.

Peptic ulcers result from an excess of digestive juice in an empty stomach. Under normal conditions, gastric juice flows only when food is present.

The stomach lining is protected from the gastric juice by food, mucus, swallowed saliva, and alkaline salts from regurgitated intestinal liquids. Hope for complete relief from peptic ulcer will follow the discovery of some form of protection for the lining membrane or of some means of blocking secretion in an empty stomach.

Dr. A. C. Ivy reports in the Journal of the American Medical Association that one of every 10 persons now living will have a peptic ulcer during his lifetime. Ulcers are becoming more common in men, and they are just as apt to occur in the stomach lining as in the duodenum, which is the first portion of the small intestine attached to the stomach.

Rest, sedatives, small, frequent feedings and remedies which reduce acidity tend to heal the average peptic ulcer rather promptly. Control of the emotions is known to be helpful, and remedies which relieve stomach spasm also are of value.

The most discouraging feature of peptic ulcer is its tendency to come back. Treatment is directed toward preventing this possibility.

For patients who have repeated attacks of ulceration, treatment is largely surgical. As the middle and lower parts of the stomach manufacture the most acid, removal of at least the lower two-thirds of the organ is followed by relief of distress, and in most cases by permanent cure.

This operation has been performed many times by skillful surgeons. In some cases, however, it fails to correct the condition, or an ulcer develops in the

new opening between the stomach and small intestine.

### FOLLOW DOCTOR'S ADVICE

Dealing with peptic ulcers in which ordinary methods of treatment have failed, Dr. L. R. Dragstedt reports success has followed his cutting the vagus nerve to the stomach. When this nerve is stimulated, the stomach secretes an extra amount of juice; when the nerve is cut, this effect is no longer produced.

The peptic ulcer patient is advised to follow his physician's advice in regard to emotional control, rest, refraining from tobacco and alcohol, and eating a special diet. In most cases, these measures are sufficient to control the disease.

"All I know is what I read in the daily newspapers," said the late Will Rogers, and 12,000,000 Canadians get most of their information from day to day in exactly the same way.

## Army Changes In Retirement Ages

Officers of the Royal Canadian Army Medical and Dental Corps and the Chaplain Service who were on active service in World War II are to be permitted to serve, irrespective of age, until they have completed 10 years' service in the Active Force or until they attain 55 years of age, whichever is the earlier, according to an Ottawa dispatch from National Defence Headquarters (Army).

Under existing regulations, only officers holding the rank of brigadier and above remain until that age, while the retirement age for lieutenants, until now, has been 49 years.

The new policy goes into effect immediately and affects a number of officers with professional as well as military experience, who, although willing to remain in the army, are already crowd-

ing the retirement age for their respective ranks.

The move is designed to assure the army of a certain number of "old hands" capable of setting the pace until younger and less experienced officers with professional training learn the ropes.

### Juliana Names Child

AMSTERDAM (AP)—The name of Princess Juliana's fourth daughter, born Tuesday, will be Maria Christina. Officially it will be Her Royal Highness Maria-Christina, Princess

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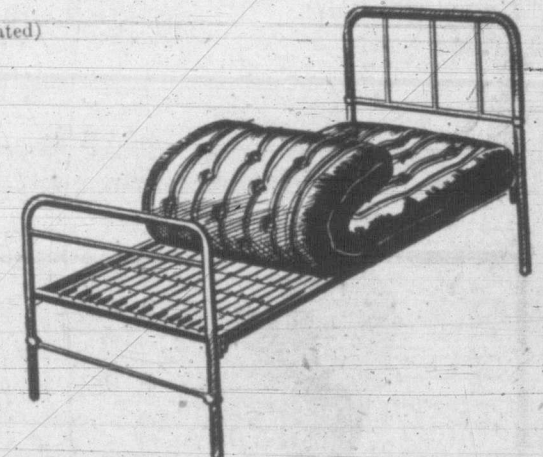
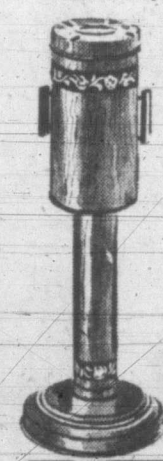
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## Personal Notes

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor will be host tonight at Government House at the second of two state dinners attendant on the opening of the Legislature.

Ralph Seymour of this city is holidaying on Salt Spring Island, at the Ganges Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McCosh of Melfort, Sask., are vacationing in Victoria and are guests at Cherry Bank Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. C. Weir have returned to their home, 339 Foul Bay Road, after having spent the past two months in California.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Borradaile of Victoria are spending an extended visit with Mr. Borradaile's mother, Mrs. G. Borradaile, at her home at Ganges Harbor.

Complimenting Miss Phyllis Roberts, a March bride-elect, a marriage shower was held Friday at the home of Mrs. L. M. West Jr., Ontario Street. Gifts were presented to the honor guest in a Valentine hope-chest. Those present were Mesdames Ruth Lamont, Madeleine Kulai, Margaret Johnston, Mary McKenna, Ruth Gibney and Misses Isobel Miller, Lenore Benedictson, Sheila McAllister, Evelyn Thorsen, Gertrude Wagstaff, Lee Tucker and Bryde Wilson.

Lt.-Col. and Mrs. Fairfax Webber, late of Regina, Sask., have arrived from England and are staying at the Cherry Bank Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Cox, 950 Joan Crescent, returned Sunday from eastern Canada, where they attended the opening of Parliament at Ottawa.

Miss Kathrine Hellier, of Toronto is visiting relatives at the home of Mr. W. E. Stevenson, Roscrea Place, Island Highway. Mr. Sidney Stevenson of Winnipeg, is also visiting his cousins there.

Mrs. J. L. Gates, president of B.C. Women's Liberal Association, returned from Ottawa Tuesday, where she was elected to the National Liberal Federation, to represent women of the four western provinces.

Mrs. H. R. Sykes, nee Miss Vivienne King, and Mrs. David Mills, nee Pat Barr, who are at present visiting in the city from England and Toronto respectively, were honored Monday when Mrs. J. Sutherland Brown entertained at the tea hour at her home, 1931 Bowker Place.

Mrs. Charles H. King and Mrs. Peter Barr, mothers of the honor guests, presided at the tea table.

Miss Shirley McMillan entertained friends at her home, Myrtle Avenue, Saturday, on the occasion of her birthday. During the evening, dancing took place and refreshments were served. Guests were Misses Pearl Schatzenkirk, Lily Halsstrom, Grace Halsstrom, Roberta Schattenkirk, Anita Beattie, Joan Vitch and Messrs. Bud Lewis, Dave Garner, Ray Bennett, Ken Sneddon, Dave Kaye, Bill Richards and Jan Hamilton.

Spring flowers decorated the home of Mrs. W. E. Drummond, 1134 Dallas Road, when she entertained with a shower Monday for Miss Kathleen Gregson. A Valentine box contained many lovely gifts presented to the honor guest from those assembled who were Mesdames R. Sundin, A. Ferguson, W. R. Roskelley, A. Lathand, F. J. Ritchie, J. Turner, N. Colvin, W. Graves, F. Smele, D. Mann, F. Hooper, P. Simpson, S. Sylvester and Misses K. Burns, M. Hurst, I. Roskelley and B. Fawcett.

Miss Doreen Pitzer was further honored Monday evening when Mrs. G. Barker, Mrs. R. Nicholson and Mrs. F. Smith were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower held at the home of Mrs. C. B. Mess, Clovelly Terrace. Upon arrival the honor guest was presented with a corsage bouquet of gardenias and violets and the gifts in a gaily decorated container. Mrs. A. Campbell presided at the refreshment table which was decorated with daffodils, mauve and white heather and yellow candles. Those present were Mesdames R. H. Pitzer, W. Davies, W. Chisholm, J. W. Armstrong, A. Campbell, B. Johnson, A. Langille, S. Hunt, F. Ferrero, R. Pistell, F. Reid, C. B. Mess, Misses F. Hall, M. Hallberg, B. Toms, V. Young, F. Larcombe, E. Hamley and G. Rymers.

## Reception Begins Round Of Session Parties

Cabinet ministers and members of the Legislature laid aside the more serious business of government for a few hours Tuesday evening to attend a reception given by Premier Hart and Mrs. Hart in the lower lounge at the Empress Hotel.

Headed by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Charles A. Banks, distinguished guests included members of the City Council, heads of government offices, many prominent citizens and their wives.

The specious room with its bright chintz covered furniture formed a perfect setting for the friendly atmosphere of the after-five party. Vases of daffodils and pussywillows were used for decoration. Colors in the gowns and hats of feminine guests added a charming touch of spring to the gay scene.

The hostess, Mrs. John Hart, wore a smart black frock with fox, furs and small black hat with feather and veil trim.

Mrs. Banks chose for the occasion a cherry red suit of fine wool, smartly cut, complemented with a white blouse touched with gold sequins, silver fox fur and black velvet beauty cap.

Noted among the guests were Hon. and Mrs. Gordon Wismer, Hon. G. S. Pearson, Hon. and Mrs. Herbert Anscomb, Hon. and Mrs. L. H. Eyres, Hon. and Mrs. Norman Whittaker, Hon. Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Weir, Hon. and Mrs. Frank Putnam, Hon. and Mrs. E. C. Carson, Hon. and Mrs. E. T. Kenney and Hon. and Mrs. R. C. MacDonald.

Mrs. Nancy Hodges, Mrs. Tilly Rolston, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. McDougall, Cmdr. and Mrs. C. T. Beard, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Straith, Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Winch, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Stuart Yates, Mr. Don McDairmid, Capt. and Mrs. W. R. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McIntyre.

Mayor Percy E. George and Mrs. George headed civic officials. Others present included Alderman Margaret Christie, Alderman and Mrs. D. D. McTavish, Alderman and Mr. F. G. Mulliner, Alderman and Mrs. F. C. Cabellou. Rear Admiral E. Rolfe Mainguy, O.B.E., R.C.N., was there, also Lt.-Col. R. D. Travis, E.D., O.B.E., and Mrs. Travis. Church dignitaries included Bishop Harold E. Sexton and



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Mrs. Sexton, His Excellency, Most Rev. James Hill, Rt. Rev. Msgr. A. B. Wood and Rev. J. W. L. McLean and Mrs. McLean. Also noted among the more than 300 guests were Mrs. G. McG. Sloan, Magistrate and Mrs. H. C. Hall, Dr. and Mrs. George

**Pancake Luncheon**—Plans were completed for a pancake luncheon to be held March 13 at View Royal Hall at 1, at a meeting of Craigflower Women's Institute held recently. The president was in the chair and members were informed of a

birthday tea to be held Saturday to celebrate the beginning of women's institute work in Canada. Plans for a May Day tea were discussed. Thursday's sewing meeting was canceled and the next sewing date set for Feb. 27. A meeting will be held following the pancake luncheon.

**Valentine Tea**—A successful Valentine tea was held recently in the parish hall under the auspices of St. Mark's W.A., afternoon branch. The president, Mrs. W. C. Heathfield, and Mrs. J. H. Fielder welcomed guests and Mrs. J. Bullinckx and Mrs. A. V. Lang assisted on the program.

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## Olive Turner Wed In Scottish Rites

A full dress kilt of Royal Stuart tartan was worn by Olive Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Turner, Sayward Road, Royal Oak, when she became the bride of Douglas Sheret McHattie, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McHattie, Keating Crossroad, Saturday evening at St. Aidan's Church, Mount Tolmie.

Masses of iris, tulips, narcissi and plum blossoms formed the setting for the colorful rites solemnized by Rev. T. G. Grif-fiths, before many friends and relatives. Traditional organ music was played by F. Boorman, and Arthur Jackman sang Sander-son's "Until," while the register was being signed.

In keeping with the Scottish theme, sisters of the bride, Mrs. W. C. Watson and Mrs. R. J. Ireland as bridal attendants, wore full kilts of McKenzie and Wallace tartans, respectively.

W. C. Watson stood with the groom as best man, and W. C. Turner and R. J. Ireland acted as ushers.

J. McMillan piped the bridal party from the vestry to St. Luke's Hall where the reception was held, to the tune of "The Nut Brown Maid." Mrs. Turner and Mrs. McHattie assisted the bride and groom in welcoming guests. A four-tier cake topped with two Scotch figurines, centred the table, which was covered with a Royal Stuart tartan plaid. Proposing the bride's toast was William Gerrie, an old family friend from Vancouver.

An olive green dress with Scotch-green topcoat, matching hat, dark brown accessories and corsage bouquet of red roses and swansonia was worn by the bride for the honeymoon trip to Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. McHattie will return to Victoria to make their home.

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## Mrs. J. L. Woolison New I.O.D.E. Regent

The annual meeting of the Major John Hebdon Gillespie Chapter was held at the home of Mrs. John Hebdon Gillespie, Fairfield Road, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. H. L. Woolison was elected regent.

Miss Margaret Goward gave the treasurer's report showing disbursements amounted to \$983.77, with contributions made to secondary education \$50; girl guides \$12; Jessie R. Burke Memorial Cancer Fund \$7; Junior craft school \$60; Mervin Cummings \$125; child and family welfare \$40.

The junior craft school received special attention. Mrs. Peter Bell, the secretary, informed the gathering when donations of extra books were made to the library.

Miss Joan French, retiring regent, spoke with particular pride of the work the chapter had accomplished with the craft school and thanked members for sincere co-operation during her time of office. Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps, Municipal regent, gave a short address, also Mrs. A. Mainprize, Municipal standard bearer, Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Gillespie.

Other reports were presented by Mrs. J. S. Cull, educational secretary; Mrs. Betty Dorman, Echoes; Mrs. W. E. Jenner, standard bearer; Mrs. J. R. Speck, postwar services and child and family welfare; Mrs. R. S. McConnan, Girl Guides; Mrs. H. L. Woolison, Empire study; Mrs. G. D. Kendall, liaison officer, and Mrs. H. G. Robinson, hospitality.

Officers for the year are: Mrs. J. D. Horne, first vice-regent; Mrs. J. S. Cull, second vice-regent; Miss E. Lawrence, secretary; Mrs. G. D. Kendall, educational secretary; Mrs. R. S. Phipps, Echoes secretary; Miss Joan French, treasurer; Mrs. H. G. Robinson, standard bearer, and Mrs. H. A. Richmond, Mrs. G. Sword and Mrs. R. S. McConnan, councillors.

## Girl Guide Notes

**Salt Spring Island**—The sum of \$27 was realized at a sale of home cooking and miscellaneous articles, following a recent Guide and Brownie meeting in the Mahon Hall, Ganges Harbor. Mrs. E. Charlesworth, district commissioner, enrolled one new Guide, Dorothy Dodds, and the following Brownies: Myra Bond, Diane and Sheila Carlin, Wilma McGill, Donna Mout, Marleen Young, Julia Coles, Lynn Young and Carol Rogers. Tea was served by Mrs. A. Rogers and Mrs. S. Coles.

## Friends Meet At Premier's Party



Mrs. B. I. Johnson, wife of the member for New Westminster, left, with Mrs. Whittaker, wife of Hon. Norman Whittaker, Speaker of the House, enjoy a chat over the teacups.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mout have returned to their home in the city after spending a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mout, Ganges Harbor.

Dr. W. G. Mahaffy of Sudbury, Ont., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Plaut, 305 Denison Road, during the past month, will return home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fenwick Potts of Newcastle-on-Tyne, are staying at the Old England Guest House, Lampson Street. Mr. Potts is in the shipbuilding industry and is at present attached to Yarrows Ltd. Mr. J. E. Milne of Yorkton, Sask., is also staying at the guest house.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Clarke, who arrived from England in October and have been the guests of Maj. and Mrs. J. C. McDonald, 2665 Topp Avenue, have taken up residence on Empire Street.

Rubber, salt, eggs, gases and smoke are enemies of silver. For protection use silver daily and wash thoroughly.



Among members of the younger set attending the reception were Miss Monica Gillis, left, and her sister, Sheila, of Merritt, B.C., daughters of Dr. J. J. Gillis, the member for Yale, and Mrs. Gillis.

## Mrs. A. W. Bradley New Regent Of I.O.D.E. Junior Chapter

Mrs. A. W. Bradley was elected regent of the H.M.C.S. Beacon Hill Junior Chapter, I.O.D.E., at the annual meeting held at the home of Mrs. M. A. Kent, retiring regent, Monday.

Other officers elected for the new term are: first vice-regent, Jean Carter; second vice-regent, Margaret Jean Gordon; secretary, Helen Stenseth; educational secretary, Dorothy Hallwell; Echoes secretary, Dorothy Irvine; treasurer, Iola Gordon; standard-bearer, Rita Price.

Outlining the chapter's activities during the year, Miss Dorothy Irvine, secretary, gave a report on the tea held at headquarters; the chapter's part in the Fashion Show at the Crystal Gardens, and also said that gifts had been given to the two

adopted children at Queen Alexandra Solarium, at Christmas, Halloween and Easter.

Donations have been made during the year to the Second War Memorial, Cancer fund and to the Queen Alexandra Solarium, leaving a bank balance of \$72. Miss Jean Carter, treasurer, told members, Disbursements for the year totaled \$45.

New members accepted into the chapter are Lillian Harrison and Donna Mawdsley.

Final plans were made for the bridge tea to be held at the Y.W.C.A., March 8. Guests attending were Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps, Municipal Regent, Mrs. J. L. Ford, a past regent of Navy League Chapter which organized the Junior Chapter, Mrs. P. E. Corby and Mrs. D. W. Carter.

## Clubwomen's News

**Pythian Sisters**—At the regular monthly meeting of Island Temple No. 1, Pythian Sisters, held recently, final details for the district convention were planned. One application card for membership in the order was received. At the close of the meeting Sister Mabel Stanley served refreshments.

**Realize \$450**—It was announced at a recent meeting of the Staggette Club at the B.C. Protestant Orphanage that \$450 had been realized from the Florence Clough dance revue. This sum will be donated to the B.C. Protestant Orphanage. To raise funds to send a delegate to district convention, a telephone bridge will be held under the convener'ship of Mary Carmen. Plans for the fall bazaar were discussed. Isabel Shlabear, president, presided.

**Committee Meeting**—A publicity committee meeting will be held Friday at 7.45 at 206 Union Building for the purpose of completing plans for the B.C. Parent-Teacher Federation Conference.

## Club Calendar

**World Day of Prayer** program, Friday, 3.30, McMorran's Hall, Cordova Bay.

**Children of France Society**, Thursday, 2, 301 Union Building. **British Columbia Diocesan Board of the Women's Auxiliary**, Friday at 10.30 in St. Matthias' Parish Hall.

**Overseas Wives Club**, tonight, 7.30, Y.W.C.A. . . . **Cordova Bay Community Club**, card party, to-night, McMorran's Pavilion, court whist and bridge.

**Came Rebekah Lodge No. 45**, Thursday, 8, I.O.G.F. Hall. **Rebekah Degree** to be conferred. . . . **Sir Matthew Ballie Begbie Chapter, I.O.D.E.**, Friday, headquarters, 2.30. . . . **Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E.**, home of Mrs. William Ellis, 2750 Thorpe Place, Saturday, 2, annual meeting to follow regular meeting.

All assisting publicity conveners and others interested are asked to attend.

## Engagements

Announcements to appear under this heading will be accepted at the Times Advertising Department. Minimum charge \$1.50 for 10 lines, and 15c for each additional line.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Smith, 336 Obed Avenue, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy, to Alvin Lionel, youngest son of Mrs. E. M. Bigham, 580 Michigan Street, and the late Mr. Bigham. The wedding will take place early in April.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Wood, 1540 Amphion Street, announce the engagement of their only daughter, June, to Murray A. Esplen, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Esplen, Dauphin, Man. The wedding will take place at 8 p.m., March 8, at Christ Church Cathedral.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Borkent, 1479 East 20th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C., announce the engagement of their only daughter, Betty, to Mr. Gerald Wakelin, youngest son of Mrs. E. Wakelin and the late Mr. P. Wakelin of 1022 Southgate Street, Victoria, B.C. The wedding will take place on March 28, at 8 p.m., in St. Margaret's Church, Vancouver, B.C., Canon Barrett officiating.

## Recital At Truth Centre

Mrs. Wilfrid Ord will present selected students in a recital Friday evening at the Victoria Truth Centre, on Fort Street.

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Recitations, songs, and dramatic scenes will be included on the program which will feature humorous monologues by Captain and Mrs. Ord.

Honors won during the year will be announced and Honors Speech Arts Certificates of the Toronto Conservatory of Music will be presented.

## Brownies Attend Rally

More than 250 Brownies from packs in Greater Victoria area attended a rally Tuesday night in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, in keeping with Scout and Guide Week activities across the Dominion.

J. Ian Simpson, headmaster of Glenlyon School, spoke to the children on "Thinking Day," and told them to think of Brownies all over the world and to do all they could to help others.

Later children were entertained with a performance given by a magician and refreshments were served.

Guides Mrs. G. M. Bodington was in charge of rally arrangements.

**Otter Point**—A successful card party was sponsored recently by the Otter Point P.T.A. at the home of T. Harris. There will be another party on March 15.

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## Musical Art Society Holds Valentine Party

Intermediate Musical Art Society held a Valentine party Saturday evening at the home of the president, Pamela Terry, 835 Joan Crescent. Honored guests were Mrs. J. O. Cameron and Mrs. P. E. Corby, honorary life president and president of the senior society. Guests and the hostess were presented with corsage bouquets. More than 50 members attended and enjoyed the musical program arranged by Madeleine Coltis and Elizabeth Harding.

Irene Byatt, contralto, accompanied by her sister, Florence Byatt, offered vocal selections, and Madeleine Coltis and Gerry Shaw gave piano solos. Marilyn

Bacon, Shirley Anderson, and Janice Bacon arranged games and refreshments. Rooms were decorated in red by Marjorie Patterson. Senior advisors, Mrs. R. D. McCaw and Mrs. J. I. Smith, assisted the hostess.

The following druggists of Victoria and District are A.I.D. stores—watch for Thursday's Advertisements in this paper:

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## Saanich Turns Down City Plan To Hold Joint Amalgamation Inquiry

Saanich Council voted Tuesday night against a proposal by the city that experts be employed to investigate amalgamation of the city and municipalities and that a report on the findings be published in booklet form for ratepayers.

Reeve E. C. Warren led the opposition to the suggestion stating that the municipality would, if it took part, commit itself to a great expense.

Councillor Les. Passmore (Ward Seven) wanted the council to advise the city that Saanich would not contribute to the costs of an investigation on amalgamation, but that it would supply any information that the investigators desired. Councillor W. C. Kersey (Ward Six) was his only supporter.

Said Reeve Warren: "We never have had any petitions from residents of Saanich asking for an investigation of possible amalgamation with the city. We have enough responsible bodies to come and ask if ratepayers are interested. Through their silence

they have shown us that they are not interested."

Councillor Thos. Alexander (Ward One), felt that department heads of the city and municipalities could supply the necessary facts on amalgamation without going to the expense of employing outsiders to study the question.

Councillor George Rudd (Ward Two), said he did not think many people in Saanich were interested.

### AMALGAMATION INEVITABLE

But Councillor Kersey disagreed stating that amalgamation was inevitable and that facts were necessary before the matter could be placed before the ratepayers.

Councillor Passmore said he thought the people should have been consulted long ago by plebiscite on whether or not they were interested in amalgamation. But apart from that he was in favor of co-operating, provided Saanich did not have to spend any money, in the city's proposal.

## Saanich Butchers Want By-law Changed

Saanich housewives soon may be able to buy the family roast at their neighborhood butcher store on Wednesday mornings.

Twelve of the district's butchers petitioned the Saanich Council Tuesday night that the early closing by-law which forces them to shut their doors to business on Wednesday mornings, be rescinded.

If their number is a sufficient majority, their request will be granted.

Speaking on behalf of the 12 butchers, Wm. Laird said many Saanich butchers signed a petition asking for the Wednesday closing, in co-operation with city butchers who instigated the move.

"But the city is operating wide open now, leaving us under the regulation," he said. "Consequently we are losing business."

## Temporary Building Permits Checked

Saanich home builders given building permits for temporary living quarters pending completion of their houses, will not be able to sell their property and temporary residence if the Saanich Council can help it.

At a meeting Tuesday night the council decided to seek the advice of the municipal solicitor on whether or not a clause could be inserted in the building regulations whereby sale of temporary living quarters would be prohibited.

Councillor J. Len Hobbs Ward Three, was responsible for the move when he warned that temporary building permits could be dangerous.

"We issue them. The builder puts up a shack. He sells the property, shack and all. And then where are we?" he said.

The rest of the council heeded his warning and tabled two requests for temporary building permits.

## Urge Buyers To Get Property Deeds

Get the deed for the property you buy immediately the financial transaction is made, Saanich Council warned property buyers during discussion of sale of lots at a meeting Tuesday night.

The warning was issued in respect to the purchasing of property from veterans who bought the property from the municipality at reduced rates.

Instances where veterans had sold their property were cited, but purchasers could not get the deeds, as sales to veterans were made with the condition that the deeds would be turned over to them by the municipality as soon as building was commenced.

## Still Control Canned Fruits For Babies

There are several exceptions to the order which lifted price ceilings on canned baby foods. It was pointed out in the most recent issue of the Food Bulletin of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board. Some grocers apparently have misunderstood the statement which said that canned goods freed from price control include all canned baby vegetables and other canned vegetables set out in a list. They have interpreted this to mean that all canned baby foods are free of price control, whereas canned apricots, cherries, peaches, pears and plums are still controlled in all sizes, including the baby, five-ounce size.

## Library Service To Be Curtailed

Saanich probably will be without public library service for the last three months of this year and some members of the municipal council think that it will be a good thing.

The question reviewed at Tuesday night's Saanich Council meeting showed that ratepayers at the last municipal election defeated a plebiscite asking for permission to increase annual library assessment from \$1 to \$1.50.

The Victoria Public Library had pointed out that it could not continue to supply service to Saanich at the \$1 rate due to increases in costs of its work.

Consequently the municipality will have to give six months' notice of suspension of the library service next month.

Several councillors thought that as soon as residents found that they were without library service, they would take a greater interest in municipal affairs and would turn out at the elections next December to support a new library plebiscite which would give them back the service.

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## Farmers Against Daylight Saving In Saanich Deadlock

A sure sign of spring was a lengthy discussion at the Saanich meeting Tuesday night on the question of daylight saving which resulted in a tie vote on whether or not changing of the clocks during the summer months was favored.

Opposing daylight saving most strenuously were Councillors W. C. Kersey and John Oliver of rural wards six and five, respectively. They argued that an earlier start in the morning brought about by daylight saving was a hardship to the farmers.

"They lose a lot of money as well as time by daylight saving," both councillors agreed.

When the question was put to a vote, they were joined by Councillor J. Len Hobbs (Ward Three) and Councillor George Rudd (Ward Two). Councillor Rudd termed daylight saving as "a lot of nonsense," and told the council the movement of the sun should not be interfered with.

Councillor Thos. Alexander (Ward One) said it could be too confusing if the city had daylight saving and Saanich did not. Councillor Les. Passmore (Ward Seven) stated it would be foolish to go against neighboring municipalities. They voted for daylight saving with Councillor E. P. Cummins (Ward Four) and Reeve E. C. Warren.

## Pension Increase Brings Commendation

Saanich Council thanked the Provincial government Tuesday night for the \$5 monthly increase to old-age pensioners, but with the thanks went a post script stating that still more money was expected for the old-folk.

"All contributions are gratefully received," remarked Councillor W. C. Kersey (Ward Six) after the amount of the increase was criticized mildly by other members of the council.

On suggestion of Reeve E. C. Warren it was agreed that the council express its appreciation for the increase.

## Film Council News

"Student Nurse," a 45-minute film available from the Victoria Public Library, shows the various stages of a nurse's training, from the time she enters the hospital until graduation. At this time when the shortage of nurses is so acute, this film is timely and would be especially suitable for showing to teen-age groups.

The Co-operative Exchange Group of films now at Victoria

Public Library will remain here only until the end of this month, at which time they will be forwarded on to another library, and a different group received. Among the group now available are "The Cowboy," "A Harbor Goes to France" and "Hollywood Bond Caravan," also included are two health films: "Six Slices a Day" and "Fight Syphilis," and a number of others such as "Lake

Carrier," "Shelter" and "New Homes for Beavers."

Musical films in the film library at Victoria Public Library include "Leningrad Music Hall," "Listen to the Prairies" and "Toscanini." These films are excellent entertainment, and have gained wide popularity.

"River of Canada," the film of the month will be available only until the end of February.

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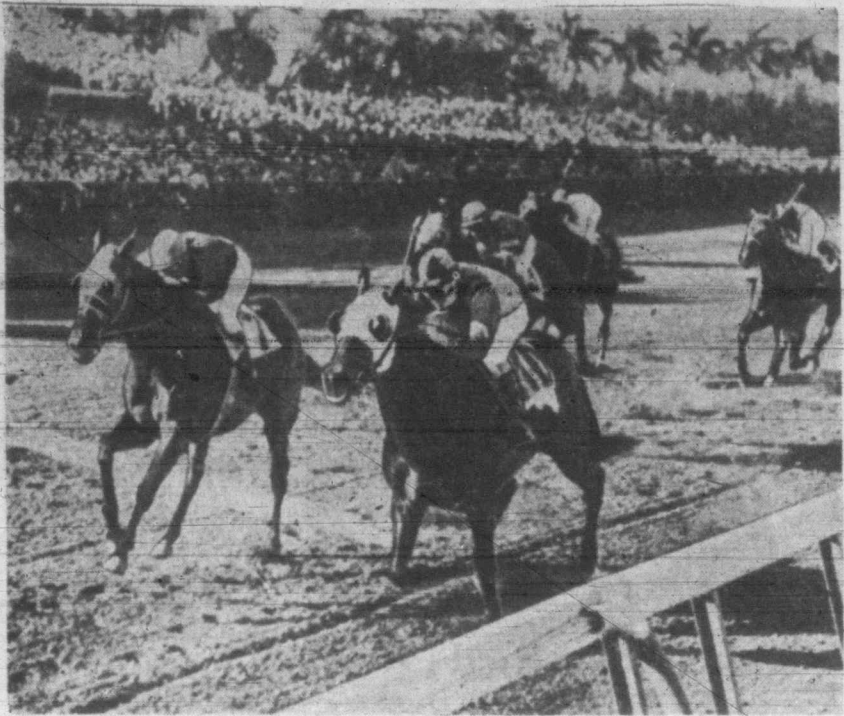








## Canadian Bangtail Wins At Hialeah



Thoroughbreds of R. S. McLaughlin of Oshawa have been experiencing great success at Hialeah Park in Florida during the current meeting. McLaughlin's Imperator (on the rail) recently captured the \$10,000 Bahamas Stakes. Duke of Windsor presented floral horseshoe to jockey Jimmy Reynolds.

## U.S. Olympic Head Opposes 'Broken Pay' For Athletes

CHICAGO (AP)—Avery Brundage, president of the United States Olympic Association, today questioned whether Russia would participate in the 1948 Olympics at London and sharply criticized a European campaign to relax amateur athletic standards.

Commenting on a report that Britain's Amateur Athletic Board might permit cash reimbursements to athletes for time lost from work—as proposed by Russia, Scandinavian and continental states—Brundage declared his committee and the United States Amateur Athletic Union "will never tolerate it."

As for Russia's Olympic status, Brundage asserted that country, "at last reading," had failed to join the International Amateur Federation and affiliated groups as required for Olympic competition.

Some 20 international federations, one for each Olympics competition, must be joined by a nation wishing full participation in the games, Brundage explained.

Brundage said lifting the ban on "broken pay" concessions to amateurs would be "the entering wedge to outright professionalism in the Olympics."

Regardless of Britain's ultimate stand, Brundage said, the United States would vigorously oppose any financial allotments for lost working time. The two countries consistently have opposed such a move which appears destined for a showdown before the 1948 Olympics, perhaps in June when the International Olympic Committee meets at Stockholm, Sweden.

## Seattle Ironmen Defeat Vancouver In Rugged Battle

Vancouver Canucks three-game winning streak, which brought them within one point of first place New Westminster Royals, was stopped last night by Seattle Ironmen who romped to a rough 5 to 3 Pacific Coast Hockey League victory.

The northern division's second-place Ironmen won handily despite being handed 10 penalties, including a 10-minute misconduct and a five-minute sentence, against five minors to the Canucks.

In Tacoma, the cellar-dwelling Tacoma Rockets won 6 to 5 in an overtime contest with the northern division's top team, Portland Eagles. Tacoma's victory may prove costly as defenseman Alex Watt received a knee injury which may put him on the sidelines for the rest of the season.

In the southern division, Hollywood Wolves, needing one game to clinch the southern division title, were thwarted by Fresno Falcons who shut them out 6 to 0. It was the first victory for Fresno in five games.

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Writing more than three centuries ago, a white man set down these notes about Algonquin Indians in New England:

"Their food is generally boiled maize, or Indian corn, mixed with kidney beans. Also they boil fish of all sorts. They cut the fish in pieces, bones and all, before boiling them.

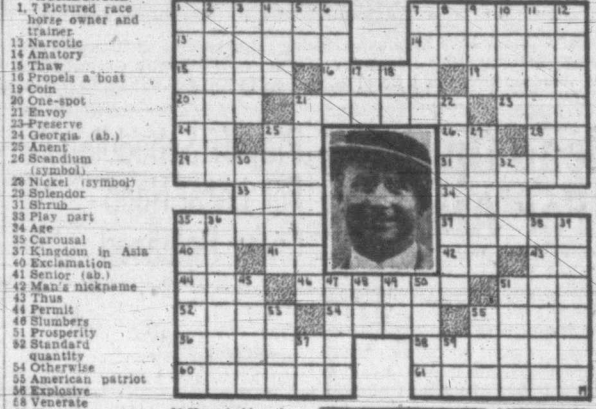
"I have wondered many times that they were not choked with fishbones, but they are clever in separating bones from fish.

"Also they boil all sorts of flesh which they take in hunting, as venison, beaver, bear's flesh, moose, otters, raccoons and so on.

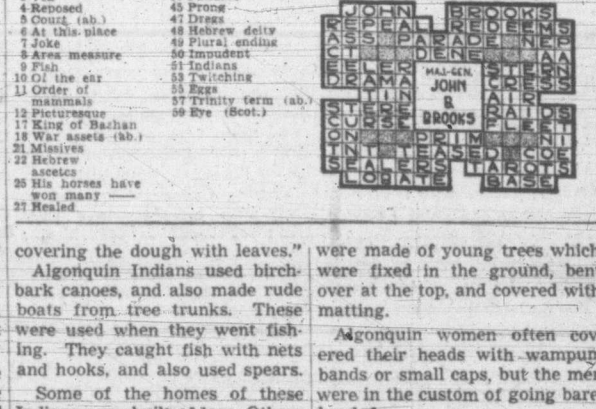
"With the fish or meat they mix ground-nuts and other roots, also pumpkins, squashes, oak acorns, chestnuts and walnuts.

Sometimes they beat the maize into a meal. With this they make bread, baking it in the ashes and

## Today's Crossword Puzzle



(Answer to previous puzzle)



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4. Attach drawing and one 3 lb. box top or 5 lb. package top of Robin Hood Oats to this form, properly filled out. You may enter as often as you wish, but each entry must be accompanied by a box or package top.
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6. Mail drawing, box top or package top and entry form to "Robin Hood Oats Contest", Robin Hood Flour Mills Ltd., Vancouver, B.C.

All entries must be mailed not later than midnight March 15, 1947. Winners will be notified by mail, and the major prize winners will be listed in this publication and announced over Trans-Canada Network on the Claire Wallace show "They Tell Me" as soon as possible after the close of the contest.

**ENTRY BLANK**  
(must be mailed before midnight, March 15, 1947).

Here's my drawing of Robin Hood and a Robin Hood Oats 3 lb. box top or 5 lb. package top.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

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Name and address of grocer from whom you purchased Robin Hood Oats \_\_\_\_\_

If you win—your grocer wins a prize too! So fill in his name.



## Will Prosecute Persons Dumping Garbage In Parks

Warning that the parks department will prosecute anyone found dumping garbage in the city parks in future was issued by W. H. Warren, parks superintendent, today, as he told how parks workers are kept on the job overtime cleaning up unbelievable collections of rubbish deposited in the parks.

One instance, where the truck driver was prosecuted last week, Mr. Warren cited 12 cartons of rubbish destined for the city incinerator were thrown into Beacon Hill Park.

Among the worst offenders, he said, were apartment house dwellers who are apparently ashamed to let it be known that they drink liquor, for they secret their empty bottles into the neighboring parks in large numbers. Beacon Hill Park, Central Park and Pioneer Square receive a great deal of this type of refuse, Mr. Warren said.

Broken glass from unlawful

beer parties in cars on the Dallas Road parking strip on top of the hill and throughout the park is generally had every weekend, he said, adding to the work of cleaning up on Mondays.

Garden rubbish, such as rose bushes and hedge clippings are dumped continually along the Dallas Road waterfront, he said, pointing out that for the payment of a very small fee the city garbage department or any transfer company will pick up such material and dispose of it properly at the city incinerator. On regular garbage collections only ashes, cans and kitchen refuse are acceptable.

## 4 Speakers Scheduled For Thursday Debate

Two C.C.F. and two Coalition members are scheduled to speak in the Throne Speech debate Thursday afternoon in the B.C. Legislature.

Mrs. T. J. Rolston, Coalition member for Vancouver-Point Grey, will open the debate tomorrow. She will be followed by Sam Guthrie, C.C.F. member for Cowichan-Newcastle; J. H. Cates, Coalition member for North Vancouver, and Randolph Harding, C.C.F. member for Kaslo-Sloam.

## Williams, Mayor Disappointed By Saanich Attitude

Surprise and disappointment at the action of the Saanich Council in refusing co-operation in the proposed investigation of amalgamation for Greater Victoria was expressed today by Mayor Percy George and Ald. Edward Williams, who sponsored the proposal that the investigation be undertaken.

Mayor George said that he had always found the reeve and councillors of Saanich most co-operative in the past and he could not understand their attitude in this instance.

"The citizens of Victoria are just as much in the dark on the exact meaning of amalgamation as those of Saanich," Mayor George pointed out. "We feel that before the question can be placed officially before the citizens of Greater Victoria all the facts should be ascertained and presented to the people."

He also stressed that all residents of Greater Victoria realize there will be a larger city area in the not distant future, and regardless of personal opinions, everything possible should be done to acquaint the citizens with the facts.

Ald. Williams was also disappointed in the decision of the Saanich Council and puzzled at the apparent change in attitude on the part of the council members.

He checked records of the inter-municipal committee and also correspondence coming into the city over the past 18 months. On Nov. 9, 1945, when Reeve E. C. Warren was previously in office, the Saanich council appointed two of its members to go with a delegation to the provincial government to request the setting up of a commission to investigate amalgamation of Greater Victoria, with the proviso that Saanich would not be involved financially.

"We are not asking them for financial aid now," Ald. Williams stressed. "All we want is co-operation in making the necessary information available to any commission set up."

## ASKED JOINT ACTION

Again, on April 12, 1946, Reeve A. G. Lambick and seven members of the Saanich council appeared before the inter-municipal committee to ask that joint action be taken to set up an investigation commission. On May 17 of the same year, they again requested that the issue be clarified.

"If they were anxious to have the facts of the situation set out less than a year ago, why will they not co-operate now when the city and Esquimalt wish to get action?" Ald. Williams asked.

He noted that Oak Bay council had also, in the fall of 1945, favored asking the provincial government to set up the investigating commission. The question of co-operation in the present investigation is slated to come up again before Oak Bay's next council meeting.

## Committee Proposes Votes For Chinese, Hindus; \$10 Fine For All Non-Voters

A special committee of the B.C. Legislature set up a year ago today recommended to the house that compulsory voting, with appropriate penalties for default without reasonable excuse, and compulsory registration, with up to a \$10 fine for failing to comply, be instituted in British Columbia.

The report of the committee, containing 37 items, urged that the present Elections Act be repealed and new legislation be enacted to incorporate the recommendations made by the committee. The report was released over the signature of R. H. Carson, Coalition member for Kamloops, who served as chairman of the elections committee.

Extension of the franchise to Chinese and Hindus who are at present disqualified only by reason of their racial origin and who are otherwise eligible.

E. E. Winch, leader of the C.C.F. Opposition; W. T. Strath, Coalition member for Victoria, and Herbert Gargrave, C.C.F. member for Mackenzie, filed a minority report in which they opposed retaining any racial discrimination under the Elections Act. This means that they would extend the franchise to Japanese as well as Hindus and Chinese.

The committee also recommended that Doukhobors who have served with the armed forces or who have been rejected by the armed services, their wives and descendants who are otherwise eligible, be entitled to vote.

The franchise should also be extended to native Indians who have served as members of the armed forces and who are not resident on reserves, the committee recommended. It also recommended that all Indians enfranchised by the Indian Act of Canada be entitled to vote in the province and that the House give further study to extension of the franchise to Indians.

At the same time, however, the committee suggested only persons with adequate knowledge of English or French language, be entitled to vote.

## Goldenberg Plan Discussed By Union

Executive of the Union of B.C. Municipalities today met with B. C. Bracewell, deputy minister of municipal affairs, in Municipal Affairs Minister R. C. MacDonald's office to discuss the Goldenberg Commission report.

The department's interpretation of the recommendations made by H. Carl Goldenberg, sole Royal Commissioner, was presented by Mr. Bracewell. During the afternoon the union executive presented some of its proposals.

The executive will meet the cabinet Friday.

## Agricultural Courses In High Schools

Department of Education is studying the question of adding courses in agriculture to the high school curriculum. Dr. J. B. Munro, deputy Minister of Agriculture, told the advisory board of the Farmers' Institute at a meeting of the Legislature's committee on agriculture today.

Thomas Jamieson representing the Peace River district on the advisory board, asked that consideration be given to the establishment of an agriculture school in the interior of the province and possibly another school to teach young people practical farming in the northern area—the Peace River preferably.

Magistrate Henry C. Hall today gave an old man charged with being intoxicated in a public place suspended sentence when the accused explained "I was out celebrating my 70th birthday."

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## CANCEL OLD VOTERS' LIST

The committee recommended that all voters' lists be canceled and new ones formed by requiring all persons of 21 years of age or over to register within 30 days of the proclamation of the new act.

"Persons failing to so register should be subject to a penalty not exceeding \$10, unless they have valid reasons for default," the report said. "Persons coming to the province should be required to register within six months, and persons coming of age should be required to register within 30 days of their 21st birthday."

The committee proposed that only a person's signature be required to have his name placed on the voters' lists. This would do away with the present system of requiring a voter to take an oath before a commissioner.

A registration card, to be issued to each registered person, showing the person's name, address and occupation and electoral district, was recommended. "This card shall bear a registration number which shall be the permanent number of such person," said the report. "The card need not be carried at all times, but may be required to be produced at the time of voting."

The card will be endorsed by the voter for identification purposes. Persons who are not eligible to vote may secure non-voters' cards of distinctive color. That provision be made that a registered voter who is unable to produce his card at his polling station may take an oath that he is a registered voter and thus obtain a ballot."

The committee urged the setting up of a special court of revision for removal of names only from the voters' lists and that the court meet 12 clear days before nomination day.

"That there be no other courts of revision, but that the registrar-general of voters and district registrars be empowered to deal

with objections or other matters of revision at any time," the committee recommended.

A system of notifying each voter who fails to vote requiring him to give reasons for his failure to vote within six months of the date of an election.

"If default continues the voter's registration shall be canceled and if he is still resident within the province he is then subject to the usual penalty for failure to register," the committee recommended.

Provision for advanced polls and absentee voting was also recommended, the advance poll to be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of the week prior to an election.

Ballots from these polls, the committee suggested, should be sent to the respective returning officers to be counted at the final count.

Provision for polls in hospitals was also recommended.

The committee recommended that each voter be sent a notice just prior to an election giving the time and place of voting.

The committee proposed "that every registered voter, who does not have four consecutive hours free from his employment between the hours of the opening and the closing of the polls on election day, shall be given sufficient time off from his employment, with pay, so that he shall have four consecutive hours during voting hours in which to vote."

The employer, the committee recommended, should have the discretion as to what hours should be taken off for voting.

"Your committee gave careful consideration to a proposal to introduce a form of postal ballot which might permit of voting by sick and infirm persons and persons who might be out of the province on election day," the report said. "However, your committee consider that the postal ballot is open to serious difficulties and no recommendation is being made at this time."

## Gets 2 Years For Theft Of Mails

Sidney A. Carr was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary when he appeared before Magistrate Henry C. Hall in city police court today for sentence on a charge of theft of a postal letter to which he pleaded guilty Tuesday.

Arthur Fisher and Kenneth Dlott, who pleaded guilty in city court yesterday to breaking and entering the Dot Mar Cafe, 720 Yates Street, and committing theft last week-end were each sentenced to 15 months in the penitentiary.

## Victoria Presbytery In Session Here

A two-day session of the Victoria Presbytery of the United Church of Canada opened this morning at Metropolitan United Church. Rev. Dr. W. W. McPherson was chairman and Rev. J. C. Thompson, secretary. Ministerial and lay delegates from 36 fields on Vancouver Island were in attendance.

J. Goldie presented a report on the missionary maintenance fund. Dr. McPherson announced that of the \$5,100,000 being raised in Canada for the Pension Capital Fund, the island allotment was \$20,000.

Tonight a public meeting at Metropolitan Church will be addressed by Dr. Peter Bryce and Rev. R. R. Morrison of Kamloops.

Victoria West Lawn Bowling Club have written Mayor Percy George to record their support of the institution of Daylight Saving Time during the summer months.

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Gloria Jean, to Douglas, Stuart,  
McHattie, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H.  
McHattie, Keston, Crossroad, Royal  
Oak, which took place at St. Andrew's  
Church, Mount Vernon, at 4 p.m.,  
Feb. 18, with Rev. T. O. Griffiths  
officiating.

DEATHS  
AVERY—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on  
Feb. 18, 1947, Florence Elsie Avery, widow  
of Harold F. Avery, aged 25  
years of 448 Admirals Road, born in  
Victoria, British Columbia, and  
leaves her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.  
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Arthur Robinson, aged 41 years, born  
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